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The Morning Star.

TO THE PUBLIC.

Friends of THE MORNING STAR will do us a favor by informing us of any failure on the part of newsdealers, or newsboys on railroad trains, to meet the public demand for copies of this paper.

OUTLINES.

Nine new cases of yellow fever yesterday at Orwood, Miss. —— The First North Carolina (colored) regiment is to be retained in service and has been ordered from Fort Macon to Knoxville. —— M. Cavaignac, French Minister of War, has resigned. —— Report that the Anglo-Egyptian army had captured Khartoun is unconfirmed in London. —— The U. S. Government has contracted for one million pounds of smokeless powder for the warships. —— Miss Winnie Davis' condition is not improved. —— A delegation of Filipinos called on Consul Williams at Hong Kong to urge the annexation of all the islands to the United States. —— New York markets: Cotton quiet and steady; middling uplands 5¾c; rosin was steady; strained common to good, $1.30; spirits turpentine steady at 30@30½c.

WEATHER REPORT.

U. S. DEP'T OF AGRICULTURE, WEATHER BUREAU, WILMINGTON, N. C., Sept. 3.

Temperature: 8 A.M., 78 deg.; 8 P.M. 78 deg.; maximum, 90 deg.; minimum 74 deg.; mean, 82 deg.

Rainfall for the day, 0; rainfall since 1st of the month up to date, T.

Stage of water in the river at Fayetteville at 8 A. M., 7.3 feet.

COTTON REGION BULLETIN.

For the twenty-four hours ended at 8 A. M. yesterday:

Heavy rains have occurred in Georgia, Alabama and the central Gulf sections, with light and scattered showers in the other districts. The temperature was higher yesterday in nearly all districts.

FORECAST FOR TO-DAY.

For North Carolina rain; variable winds.

Port Almanac---Sept. 4.

Sun Rises	5.34 A. M.
Sun Sets	6.22 P. M.
Day's Length	12 H. 48 M.
High Water at Southport	10.26 A. M.
High Water, Wilmington	12.56 P. M.

A $200,000,000 steel Trust has been formed. There will be a good deal of steal in that.

Time at last sets all things even. Dreyfus and Zola are both being vindicated.

If the white men of North Carolina win the next legislature, Governor Russell will be like a bump on a log, big enough to attract attention but not to do any harm.

When Captain Dreyfus was degraded and banished in 1895 he said his "innocence would be shown within three years." And that's the way it looks now, with a throat-cutting confession of forged testimony against him.

In reply to the statement that Secretary Alger says "there is nothing to investigate," the Baltimore *Herald* remarks that "the rank and file of the army beg leave to differ from him." They differ from him without "begging leave."

The Populists who have nominated Hobson for President in 1900, should have waited until they see how he succeeds in raising the C. Colon. Then they would know whether they could count on his wind.

The territory seizing papers talk about the "greater America." Adding territory may make America larger, but not greater. A better proof of the greatness might be in declining to seize, when the temptation may be great.

If the negroes had an absolute and irresistible majority in North Carolina, how many white men would be in office? This is a conundrum we would like some of the white skins who are working to put the negro over the white man to take a pass at.

If Secretary Alger had any Presidential aspirations he has probably tucked them away for a while. When his picture was exhibited during a performance in the opera house in Wilmington, Del., a few nights ago, the audience hissed and raised such a pandemonium that it had to be removed.

The New York *Sun* remarks that whatever the criticisms on the management of the war may be they cannot "dim the lustre of our victory over Spain." On the contrary they add to the lustre when it is remembered that the victory was won, not only over Spain but over the grossest mismanagement by the War Department.

Last week the Monroe *Enquirer* entered upon its twenty-sixth year, and has well earned the liberal patronage it has received. It is a good paper, a good gleaner of the news, and ably and sprightly edited. It has always been an outspoken defender of Democracy, but in addition to this is now doing splendid service for white supremacy. We present it the STAR's compliments and good wishes.

Young Jim Blaine achieved notoriety at Honolulu by tumbling down stairs because he was top heavy, and cutting off a Chinaman's pig tail. This might have been funny for Jim, but it was a serious business for John Chinaman. Paradoxical as it may seem a Chinaman without a cue feels curious.

Foreign missionaries and converts are to be protected in China now. The Emperor has come to the conclusion that killing them costs too much land.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Hall & Pearsall—Fish.
D. L. Gore—Store for rent.
Attention—Naval Reserves.
C. W. Yates—School books.
R. G. Grady—Farm for sale.
K. of P.—Pythian reception.
J. G. Wright & Son.—For rent.
Mercer & Evans—Announcement.
C. W. Polvogt Co.—Announcement.

BUSINESS LOCALS.

Wanted—A governess.
A. D. Wessell—For rent.
Victor House—Reopened.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

— Mr. C. W. Yates left yesterday morning for New York.

— Mr. T. L. Northrop, of St. Paul's, was here yesterday.

— Rev. Edward Wootten left yesterday for Lake Waccamaw.

— Mr. P. C. Carlton, of Statesville, is in the city on business.

— Mr. Henry Shaw, of Moss Side was registered at The Orton yesterday.

— Mr. J. E. Latham, of Newbern, was a visitor in the city yesterday.

— Mr. S. F. Burbanks, of Washington, N. C., is registered at The Orton.

— Mr. A. J. Crampton and wife, of Charlotte, are spending Sunday on the beach.

— Messrs. Albert M. King and R. A. Nixon, were among yesterday's visitors to the city.

— Rev. Jno. Stanley Thomas, of Burgaw, spent several hours in the city yesterday.

— Mr. J. W. Brown, night watchman at Cowan's stables, is out again, after a severe illness.

— Mr. Joe Winstead, son of Mr A. S. Winstead, has gone to the A. M. College at Raleigh.

—Mr. George O. Gaylord returned yesterday from a visit to his former home in Beaufort county.

— Mrs. A. J. Flanner, of Clinton, who has been spending the Summer at Summer Rest, returned home yesterday.

— Mr. A. Twyman, a representative of the Pullman Palace Car Company, who has been here for a week, left last night for Chicago.

— Miss Lon Banks, who has been spending some time with friends in Newbern, has returned home, much to the delight of her many friends.

— Mr. W. H. King, of Hampstead, was a visitor to the city yesterday. He told a STAR reporter that there was not a Populist or a white Republican in the whole of Topsail precinct.

— Miss Alice Abell, a popular young lady of Smithfield, N. C., passed through the city Saturday en route to her home. She has been spending some time on Carolina Beach.

— Miss Lena Rodes, of Charlottesville, Va., who has been on a visit to Miss Belle Gore, left last night for home. Her brother, Mr. Charlie Rodes, of the Hilton Lumber Company, accompanied her home.

Republicans Will Nominate.

The Republicans of the Third Congressional district have decided that they cannot stomach Fowler, and will hold a convention at Fayetteville, Sept. 29th, to nominate a straight Republican candidate. S. H. Buchanan, of Moore, and A. H. Slocumb, of Cumberland, are aspirants. The candidate, however, ought to be a negro, as the negroes poll nine-tenths of the Republican vote of the district.

Dempsey Council.

Dempsey Council was before Justice J. M. McGowan yesterday, charged with three offences—assault and battery with a deadly weapon, forcible trespass and disorderly conduct. There was not probable cause in the first case and not sufficient evidence in the second, so these charges were dismissed. The offender was found guilty of disorderly conduct and judgment was suspended upon the payment of costs.

Lumberton Fair.

The annual Fair of the Robeson County Fair Association will be held at Lumberton, November 2nd, 3rd and 4th. All space for exhibits free.

FRANK GOUGH, Secy. and Treas. †

THE SEASIDE SEASON.

A Number of Excursions the Past Week Bringing Crowds of People to the Seashore.

ENTERTAINMENTS THIS WEEK.

Rehearsals in Progress for a Benefit Concert at the Opera House—Dances at Club Houses on the Beach. Theatrical Season Begins.

By odds the most uneventful week of Wilmington's seaside season is that just closed. There has not been a single club or private social function of any kind. The people are apparently resting on their oars in the midst of a calm before the Fall and Winter social and theatrical season which gives abundant promise of unusual gaiety. However, the week has not been without an abundance of pleasure for visitors and home people. There have been a number of big excursions to the city which have brought hosts of people to the city and both beaches. Then, too, there are a large number of regular guest, on Wrightsville beach. So many that the Seashore Hotel management, instead of closing September 1st as they had intended, now announces that they will be open for guests indefinitely. Capt. Jenkin's hotel on Carolina Beach was closed however last Thursday and he and his family have returned to Salem.

Hanover Seaside Club, on Carolina Beach, was the only club which gave a hop during the week. The coming week, however, several of the clubs will arrange for hops. Atlantic Club has decided to give one of the biggest dances of the season Friday night.

Within a few weeks many Wilmingtonians prominent in social circles will have returned to the city from Summer outings, and the Wilmington Musical Association, the Theatrical Association, Daughters of the Confederacy, Colonial Dames, Sorosis, the three popular german clubs and other organizations which have been so active in past seasons will again resume active operations and augment the round of social pleasures which are likely to distinguish the Fall and Winter season.

A notable incident connected with the rehearsals now in progress for the Miss Norma Foster Benefit Concert was that at the armory last Wednesday night. A male quartette, composed of Mr. C. H. Cooper, Mr. R. F. Fowler and Messrs. A. S. and H. K. Holden met there with Mr. Ed. Munson as accompanist, to practice music for the concert. After the rehearsal Capt. J. C. Smith, of the *Compton*, came up with his improved graphophone and the quartette sang two popular selections into the receiving tube, so that Capt. Smith is now able to reproduce them with wonderful accuracy. The selections were "Kerry Dance", by Malloy, and "Annie Laurie."

The rehearsals for the benefit concert are progressing quite satisfactorily. As has been announced, September 20th is the date and the Y. M. C. A. auditorium the place for the event. There will be music and recitations by some of the city's best talent. Then, too, there will be refreshments and other features of entertainment. To say that Miss Jannie Chasten is the controlling spirit in the arrangements is a sufficient guarantee that it will be a splendid success.

Lessee Schloss and Manager James H. Cowan of the Wilmington Opera House have announced the following assistants in the various departments of work: Head usher, Mr. C. H. Cooper; stage manager, Mr. Henry Newman; doorkeepers, Messrs. Julius Taylor, Harry Farrow, W. B. Savage and Lonnie Smith; ushers, Messrs. Frank Bagg, W. D. Huhn, W. L. Bissinger, W. E. Mann, Hardy LeGwyn; programme boys, Marks Nathan and Clarence Motte. Neill Hayes, colored, will be mechanic and Luther M. McNair will, as in past seasons, serve as property man.

Wilmington theatre-goers are anticipating a delightful evening at the Opera House to-morrow night, when the theatre is opened for the season. Charles Blaney's "A Boy Wanted" will doubtless prove a big success. It is claimed by the author to be the best work he has ever written. It is a comedy in three acts, interpreted by an exceptionally strong company. The first act represents the interior of a country newspaper office, showing the press in full operation; the second the exterior of the Starview Hotel, and during this act a number of specialties are introduced. Incidental to the comedy more than forty musical members are introduced.

U. S. RAILWAY MAIL SERVICE.

Delegates from Wilmington to the Convention to be Held in Atlanta.

Mr. J. E. Albright and family left yesterday for Atlanta to attend the twenty-third annual convention of the United States Railway Mail Service Association. Mr. H. D. Burkhimer, the other delegate from North Carolina section, expects to leave this afternoon with his wife for Atlanta.

The association will be called to order on Friday the sixth. There will be about a hundred delegates present and a profitable meeting is expected. The Fourth Division, with headquarters at Atlanta, will give the visiting postal clerks a trip to Chickamauga Park on Friday. On some other day Mrs. Ellen Terrell, wife of the superintendent of the Fourth Division, will give a reception.

BATTLING WITH THE BAT.

Nantucket Boys in a Game of Base Ball With a Team from the O. A. N. and A. C. L. Clubs.

There was a great time at Hilton Park yesterday afternoon. By odds the most interesting game of base ball played here this season was "pulled off" between a crack team from the *Nantucket* crew and a team made up of the best players from the O. A. N. and A. C. L. teams. When the game was closed at the end of the sixth inning the score stood five to nothing in favor of the O. A. N. and A. C. L. team. Despite the apparent odds in the score there was a lot of "smooth" playing, and the game was chock full of interest. Mr. W. F. Robertson made an excellent umpire and Capt. W. P. Monroe, of the Fire Department, kept the score so that there was never a kick.

There was a big crowd out to witness the contest and the boys were in excellent condition for playing good ball. There were no end of rooters not only among the small boys but grown up people as well. There was one especially notable company of rooters thoroughly organized for "raising sand." They wore the red, white and blue *Nantucket* team colors and carried big cow bells which they rang with a vim whenever their favorits made a good play or prevented their competitors from doing so.

The people knew it would be a noisy game before they went to the park for the cow bell crew boarded a street car at Princess street and made the circuit of the belt and out to the diamond, keeping up a perfect uproar during the entire trip.

At the park the game was called for the first inning with the A. C. L.—O. A. N. combination team at the bat. The game stood one to nothing up to the fifth inning, when the O. A. N.-A. C. L. team scored five. Another score was made in the sixth inning. The pitching on both sides was very good. Sweeney and Sellers were the battery for the A. C. L.-O. A. N. team and Zellers for the *Nantucket* team. The following is the official record of the games:

Nantucket	R.	PO.	A.	E.	BH.
Zellers J., s. s.	0	0	1	0	0
Zellers F., c.	0	10	0	1	0
Sinclair, 1 b.	0	6	1	1	0
Peschau, 2 b.	0	2	1	3	0
Trent, r f.	0	0	0	0	0
Watson, p.	0	1	13	0	0
Campbell, 3 f.	0	2	0	0	0
Latham, l f.	0	0	0	2	0
Dock, c f.	0	0	0	0	0
Sotal	0	21	16	7	0
A. C. L.—O. A. N.	R.	PO.	A.	E.	BH.
Pinner, 3 b.	0	2	1	0	1
Jones E., c f.	1	0	0	0	0
Pickett, 2 b.	0	0	2	1	1
Jones W., s s.	0	0	1	0	0
Hatch, l f.	1	0	0	0	2
Sellers, c f.	0	8	3	1	0
Jones B., 1 b.	0	9	0	1	0
Sweeney, p.	2	2	10	0	3
McDugald, r f.	1	0	0	0	1
Total	5	21	17	3	8

Sumary. 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9

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Nantucket. 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 * *—0

Summary—Struck out—by Watson, 10; by Sweeney, 7. Stolen bases—F. Zellers, Sinclair, Hatch, Campbell, 2. Base on balls—Sweeney, 1. Hit by pitcher—Campbell, 1; Trent, 2. Passed balls—Sellers, 2. Two base hits—Hatch.

The gate receipts amounted to $50, and there seems to be some misunderstanding about the division of the money. The A. C. L.-O. A. N. boys contend that an agreement was made before the game that the whole gate receipts should go to the winning team. However, after the game, it seems that the *Nantucket* boys went to the man who held the cash box and quietly took charge of what they claimed was their half of the money.

PROF. M. C. S. NOBLE.

Will Leave To-night on His Way to Chapel Hill to Take the Chair of Pedagogy.

Prof. M. C. S. Noble, ex-superintendent of the public schools, will leave to-night for Selma to visit his parents. From Selma he will go to Chapel Hill to-morrow, where he will take the chair of pedagogy in the State University made vacant by Dr. E. A. Alderman's election to the Presidency. Prof. Noble's duties will be to instruct those who wish to become teachers in the history and philosophy of education. He expects to perfect arrangements by which students will have instruction in the practice as well as the theory of teaching.

That he has been elected to so important a place is a decided compliment to his management of the city schools, and in speaking of his departure it is not out of place to refer to his work in the public schools of Wilmington. He came here sixteen years ago. At that time there were twelve hundred pupils—now there are over three thousand. His teachers are progressive and have attended excellent Summer schools during their vacation. Not long after his arrival he arranged for teachers' meetings weekly which have been found very helpful.

He is proud of his teachers, his pupils and their parents, all of whom have stood by him in his management of the schools. He is, of course, also very grateful to the school committee which has elected him to his position for sixteen successive years.

Prof. Noble says that he leaves Wilmington with sorrow. He has lived here so long that he is almost like a native-born Wilmingtonian. Although his work in the future will be away from here, he states that he will always feel the greatest interest in the education of the boys and girls of this city.

Mrs. Noble will remain in the city until about the middle of November when she will go to Chapel Hill to join her husband.

LOCAL DOTS.

—The *Wilmington* will make two trips to Carolina Beach to-day—10.00 A. M. and 2.30 P. M.

— The O. A. N. Society will have a meeting to-morrow night at 8.30 o'clock for the election of officers.

— To-night at Brooklyn Baptist church Pastor Kramer will preach a sermon on the subject: "A Christian Mother."

— The STAR is authorized to pay 25 cents each for 50 copies of the Wilmington *Daily Record* of Thursday, August 18th.

— During the past week there were three deaths, one white and two colored. There were fourteen births, five white and nine colored.

— To-morrow is Labor Day. It will be observed in the usual way here, namely, by the closing of banks and a few other places of business.

— Rev. J. A. Smith, of Fair Bluff, arrived in the city yesterday. He will preach at the First Baptist church at 11 A. M. and 8 P. M. to-day.

— The crew of the steamer *Wilmington* expect to give another of their delightful dances in the big pavilion at Carolina Beach some night this week.

— The barge *Carrie L. Tyler* arrived in port yesterday from Charleston in tow of the tug *John Harlin*. She had a cargo of phosphate rock for the Navassa Guano Company.

— The STAR is obliged to its Shallotte correspondent for a report of the Brunswick County Democratic Convention, but as it did not differ from a report in yesterday's paper it will not be published.

Mr. J. A. Montgomery returned from Burgaw yesterday. He brings most encouraging news about Democratic prospects in Pender. Says he has reliable information that the Populist vote will be reduced by considerably over one-half.

—The order for the mustering out of the Second Regiment has been revoked. This is the news that came last night. It will cause keen disappointment to many Wilmington people who hoped to see the members of Company K home again inside of ten days.

— The telegraph news this morning shows that the First Regiment is to be mustered out and not the Second. It is stationed at Jacksonville, Fla., and will go to Raleigh to be mustered out. The Third Regiment (colored) has been ordered to Knoxville, Tenn.

— The STAR received by Express last night a basket of luscious grapes from the garden of Miss Kate Ochiltree, of Fayetteville. And we take occasion to say now that we had previously received from Miss Ochiltree the earliest ripe Scuppernong grapes seen in Wilmington this season.

— Charles Taylor, Lizzie Barnes, Ella Hunter, and George Barnes, all colored, were before Justice Bornemann yesterday charged with disorderly conduct. It developed that the arrests were the result of a family quarrel, and Judge Bornemann felt justified in letting off the offenders with costs.

— Messrs. J. G. Wright and Son., the well known real estate agents, have an ad. in the STAR this morning offering for rent from Oct. 1 some very desirable houses. They also have a number of small houses, stores and offices, and they collect rents at the lowest rate of commission. Don't fail to see their ad.

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS.

Arrangements for a Reception to Supreme Master of Exchequer Thos. D. Meares, on His Arrival.

The committee from Stonewall Lodge, Knights of Pythias, appointed to make arrangements for a reception in honor of Supreme Master of Exchequer T. D. Meares, has about completed its arrangements. Mr. and Mrs. Meares will get here at 12.05 P. M. today by the Carolina Central. The reception will be given in Castle Hall tomorrow night at 8 o'clock. Nothing that goes to make an occasion of the kind thoroughly enjoyable will be left undone. There will be choice viands and refreshing drinks. Col. W. J. Woodward will make the welcoming address. There will be speeches also by other Pythians who rejoice in the re-election of their brother knight to one of the most exalted positions in the order. All Pythians are invited to be present.

The committee which is working so assiduously for the success of the affair is composed of Messrs. W. F. Robertson, J. J. Hopkins and J. R. Turrentine, Jr.

Bladen County Democrats.

The STAR printed a few days since a report of the Democratic Convention of Bladen county, but the name of only one nominee was given. A complete list follows: House of Representatives, Geo. H. Currie; Clerk Superior Court, A. M. McNeill; Register of Deeds, J. H. Williams; Sheriff, S. G. Wooten; Coroner, J. C. Roberts; Surveyor, J. W. Downing; Treasurer, R. L. Bridger; Commissioners, C. P. Parker, C. W. Lyon, and Dr. W. K. Anders.

No mineral waters in the world is superior to that of Jackson Springs for Dyspepsia, Indigestion, Insomnia Nervous Prostration or Kidney, Bladder and Stomach troubles. Read advertisement in the STAR. †

DENOUNCING FUSION.

Middle-of-the-Road Populists in Wake County Demand a Straight Ticket.

CONVENTION MEETS SEPT. 29.

Judge Adams Nominated by Republicans for Congress—Order Mustering Out Second Regiment Said to Have Been Revoked.

[*Special Star Telegram.*]

RALEIGH, N. C., September 3.—The Insurgent Populists, forty strong, met here. Resolutions were passed denouncing fusion and demanding a straight Populist ticket. Called the county convention to meet September 29th. Ex-State Senator Green presided.

Republicans of the Fifth district, at Graham to day, nominated Judge Spencer Adams for Congress. The vote was Adams, 13; Settle, 11.

Logue Harris is back from Washington. He says accounts from this State will be paid second; Ohio coming first.

The government refuses to assign Lieut. Henderson, of Indiana, to the A. and M. College here. He cannot be spared.

A Washington special this afternoon says the order mustering out the Second regiment is revoked on Gov. Russell's request. The Second and Third will be retained and the First regiment mustered out. The special is discredited here.

LENOIR COUNTY.

Democratic Convention—A Strong Ticket Nominated—Co-operation of All White Men Invited.

[*Special Star Telegram.*]

KINSTON, N. C., September 3.—The Lenoir County Democratic Convention was held to-day and proved to be one of the best attended and most enthusiastic even seen in the county. The platform adopted re-affirmed the declaration and principles of the national and State platform, and recognized the importance of a white man's government, and cordially invited the co-operation of all white men to this end, regardless of earty affiliations.

Capt. W. W. Carraway, formerly correspondent of the *News and Observer*, of the non de plume of "D. R. Walker," was nominated for the House. An exceptionally strong ticket was named for the various county offices, and if the interest shown today indicates the amount of work that will be done, Lenoir county will again be found in the ranks of the Democratic majority after the election, as the party is united and aggressive.

MAYOR'S COURT YESTERDAY.

Six Cases Disposed Of, Some by Fines and Costs, Others Continued.

Mayor Wright was at his desk yesterday at noon and held a court during which six cases were considered. However, only three of them were finally disposed of. Rosa King, colored, for disorderly conduct, was fined $7 and costs or 30 days in the lock-up. John Bell, colored, submitted to the charge of drunkenness and fighting and paid the costs. The other negro, Charles Caddell, charged with that offence was called and failed to answer. George Davis, colored, was taxed with the costs in a case for disorderly conduct.

A case for raising a disturbance was removed before Squire R. H. Bunting and will be tried Monday at 3 P. M. Another, in which being drunk and down is the charge, was continued until Monday at the request of the defendant's attorney.

The Herald's Opinion.

The *Fireman's Herald*, published at Greensboro announces that Chief Schnibben or Assistant Chief Monroe, of the Wilmington Fire Department, will attend the International Association which meets in St. Louis in October. The reference closes with an insistance that every chief in the State should attend and that the towns which they represent should appropriate money to pay the expenses of the chief while attending the Association. The *Herald* claims it would be money well invested.

Booker T. Washington.

Booker T. Washington, a widely known colored orator, will speak at St. Stephen's A. M. E. Church, colored, corner of Fifth and Red Cross streets, at 8.30 o'clock to-morrow night. He is the principal of the Alabama State Normal School, colored, at Tuskegee, Ala. His wife will speak at 10 o'clock Tuesday morning at St. Luke's, colored, corner of Seventh and Church. There will be no charge for admission on either occasion.

County Democratic Convention.

By authority vested in me, I hereby notify all delegates to the Democratic County Convention of New Hanover county to meet in adjourned session, at the Court House, on Monday, September 5th, at 10 o'clock A. M., for the purpose of nominating candidates for the General Assembly. Also county officers, and transact such other business as may come before them.

J. A. MONTGOMERY, Chairman Convention.

— The regular, *bona fide* mail circulation of THE MORNING STAR is larger than the mail circulation of all other Wilmington Dailies combined.

DEMOCRATIC CONVENTION

Of New Hanover County Will Meet Tomorrow at 10 A. M. at the County Court House.

Pursuant to a call issued by Chairman J. A. Montgomery, the Democratic County Convention will meet in adjourned session at the county court house to-morrow at 10 A. M. Nominations will be made for sheriff, treasurer, clerk of Superior Court, coroner, surveyor, county commissioners (3), register of deeds, representatives (2) and magistrates (36).

Following is a list of the regularly elected delegates to the convention:

First Ward.

First Division—S. H. Terry, J. E. Nelms, C. L. Spencer, C. H. Ganzer, Samel Bessant, W. L. Duke. Second division—Geo. L. Morton, John Brown, S. L. Smith, W. R. Smith. Third division—W. C. Cralle, W. H. Holloway, J. A. Lewis. Fourth division—O. McFadgen. Fifth division—Wm. Sheehan, Sr.

Second Ward.

H. P. West, Roger Moore, M. O'Brien, Jos D. Smith, Thos. C. James, Owen F. Love, M. W. Jacobi, S. P. McNair, F. H. Stedman, W. B. Cooper, R. B. Clowe, J. H. Davis, F. H. Mitchell, Justin M. Bunting, Andrew Smith, Furney J. Goodwin.

Third Ward.

First division—W. H. Yopp, D. C. Love, G. L. Peschau, W. Catlett, W. E. Perdew, Wm. Goodman, J. H. Kuck, J. W. Alderman, A. M. Baldwin, I. L. Greenswald. Second division—J. B. Huggins, J. R. Turrentine, Owen Fennell, J. A. Montgomery, J. A. Miller, H. J. Gerken, T. Donlan.

Fourth Ward.

First division—H. McL. Green, M. Cronly, Thos. W. Strange, F. W. Kerchner, J. S. Worth, Walker Taylor, S. M. Empie. Second division—R. H. Beery, Jno. W. Reilley, C. C. Brown, W. H. Brown, W. H. Bernard, J. L. Boatwright, M. S. Willard.

Fifth Ward.

First division—G. A. Bishop, B. F. King, J. W. Branch, G. C. Simmons, R. H. McKoy, J. M. Branch. Second division—E. P. H. Strunck, H. L. Hewett, J. R. Davis, V. Swan, W. F. Newton, Asa Biggs, T. J. Presson. Third division—W. H. Biddle, W. M. Harriss, J. M. McGowan, R. A. Biddle, B. J. Bryan. Fourth division—Geo. J. McClammy, W. J. Howard.

SUNDAY SERVICES.

First Baptist Church, corner Fifth and Market streets. Preaching to-day at 11 A. M. and 8 P. M., by Rev. Jas. A. Smith, Fair Bluff, N. C. Sunday School 9.30 A. M. Monthly conference Monday evening at 8 o'clock. Prayer and praise service Thursday evening at 8 o'clock. Public cordially invited.

St. Matthew's English Lutheran Church, Fourth Street above Bladen street, Rev. G. D. Bernheim pastor. Morning service at 11 o'clock. No service at night, Sunday school at 9:30 A. M. All seats free, and every person cordially invited.

That Hound Case.

The suit of the Masonboro Kennel Club vs. Calvin Bell, colored, for the recovery of a hound, claimed to be the property of the club, will come up for trial to-morrow before 'Squire J. M. McGowan. It will be remembered that Mr. Brooke Empie will be the counsel for the Masonboro Club. It is understood that Mr. Herbert McClammy has been retained by the defendant, Calvin Bell.

Bellamy at Pireway.

John D. Bellamy, the white man's Democratic candidate for Congress in this district, will address the people at Pireway, Columbus county, Wednesday next, Sept. 7th. He will discuss the great issues of the day, chief among which in North Carolina is the supremacy of the white race. As Pireway is almost on the line between Columbus and Brunswick a large attendance is expected from both counties.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Attention, Naval Reserves!

John E. Cowell wishes to inform his old comrades that he may be found at No. 11 South Front street, where the "Nantucket" Barber Shop is in full blast. Give us a call. Respectfully,
A. PREMPERT,
se 4 1f. 11 South Front Street.

PYTHIAN RECEPTION.

All members of the various Pythian Lodges of the city and visiting brothers are cordially invited to attend a reception tendered Supreme Master of Exchequer Meares at Front street Castle Hall, tomorrow evening, September 5th.

JNO. R. TURRENTINE, Jr.,
se 4 1t Chairman Committee.

FISH, FISH, FISH.

New Catch Mullets just in.

BUTTER AND CHEESE, MEATS, FLOUR, &c.

THE FINEST PORTO RICO MOLASSES

In Tierces. Extra Good.

Get Our Prices and Samples.

Hall & Pearsall,
Wholesale Grocers,
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Big Extravaganza Success

A BOY WANTED.

The Funniest Comedy Ever Written.

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3 SETS OF SCENERY.

More Music Than a Comic Opera.

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The C. W. Polvogt Co.

We beg to announce to our friends and enstomers that we are

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Fall and Winter Goods,

such as New Dress Goods and Silks in foreign and domestic makes.

CARPETS AND RUGS
In All Grades.

We invite your inspection to OUR STOCK before you make a selection elsewhere.

IN LACE CURTAINS, WINDOW SHADES, MATTINGS AND TRUNKS WE ARE SHOWING THE STRONGEST LINE EVER OPENED IN OUR CITY.

Call early and make your Selection.

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Agents for W. B. Corsets and Standard Paper Patterns. se 2 1f

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Offer For Rent From October 1st, 1898, the following houses:

Two houses on Fourth between Market and Princess.
One house on Eighth, between Market and Dock.
One house on Second and Ann streets.
One house on Ann, between Front and Second.
Two houses on Fifth, between Chesnut and Grace.
Two houses on Chesnut, between Fourth and Fifth.
One house on Sixth between Chesnut and Grace.
One house on Second, between Ann and Nun.
Two houses on Walnut, between Fourth and Fifth.
One house on corner of Fifth and Walnut
One house on Fifth, between Walnut and Red Cross.
One house on Ninth, between Market and Dock.
One house on Red Cross, near Sixth.
One house on corner of Seventh and Chesnut.
One house on Dock street, between Seventh and Eighth.
One house on Market, between Eighth and Ninth.
One house on Fifth, between Dock and Orange.
One house on Seventh, between Mulberry and Walnut.
Two houses on Dock, between Fourth and Fifth streets.
One house on corner of Seventh and Grace.
Also, small houses, stores and offices.

Cut This List Out

and call on us for additional information.

J. G. Wright & Son,

Real Estate and Renting Agents.
Rents Collected on Lowest Rate of Commission, which is charged on actual rent collected.
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Occupying unsurpassed facilities to pack D. S. MEATS of all kinds, it stands to reason we should have your trade or enquiries, and we shall take pleasure to REPLY PROMPTLY. We carry

Ribs,
Butts,
Bellies,
Lard,
Grain,
Flour,
CIGARS.

If you are looking for the RIGHT PLACE to spend your money, we are the people,

Vollers & Hashagen,

Warehouse A. C. Line trackage, Nutt St.
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We now have the Agency here for the following staple lines of

SHOES.

The Celebrated W. L. Douglass
Gents' Fine Footwear.

The Val Drettenhoper & Sons'
Ladies' Fine Footwear.

John Mundell's
Children's School Shoes.

We have just received fresh shipments of these excellent good, all of which are strictly UP-TO-DATE in Style and Finish. No comment upon the quality of these goods is necessary. We simply ask EVERYBODY to buy a pair. This would give us the best advertisement in the world, because every pair is

Guaranteed to Give Satisfaction.

Look at what we have, before buying elsewhere, please. We can save you money.

Respectfully,

MERCER & EVANS,

se 4 1f

John McLaurin. Wm. M. Hays.

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DEALERS IN

BEST BEEF, PORK, MUTTON, VEAL, POULTRY, &c.

VENISON AND OTHER GAME IN SEASON.

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Your Patronage Solicited.

Stall No. 4, Front Street Market.
Bell 'Phone 414. se 1 2m

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Contract advertisers will not be allowed to exceed their space or advertise anything foreign to their regular business without extra charge at transient rates.

Advertisements kept under the head of "New Advertisements" will be charged fifty per cent. extra.

Advertisements to follow reading matter, or to occupy any special place, will be charged extra according to the position desired.

The Morning Star.

BY WILLIAM H. BERNARD.

WILMINGTON, N. C.

SUNDAY MORNING, SEPTEMBER 4.

DEMOCRATIC TICKET.

FOR CONGRESS.

Sixth District—John D. Bellamy, *of* New Hanover.

FOR SUPERIOR COURT JUDGES.

First District—Hon. George H. Brown, of Beaufort.

Second District—Hon. Henry R. Bryan, of Craven.

Fifth District—Hon. Thomas J. Shaw, of Guilford.

Sixth District—Hon. Oliver H. Allen, of Lenoir.

Seventh District—Hon. Thomas A. McNeill, of Robeson.

Eleventh District—Hon. W. Alexander Hoke, of Lincoln.

FOR SOLICITOR.

Sixth District—Rodolph Duffy, of Onslow.

LOOK TO THE LEGISLATURE.

Since the days of reconstruction there never has been an election that approached in importance to the people of North Carolina the election to be held in November. It is of the utmost importance because then a Legislature will be elected, on the character of which the future weal or woe of North Carolina will depend.

Unfortunately, we cannot oust the present incumbent of the Gubernatorial office, for he, through the inscrutable decrees of fate, is fastened upon us for two years more, and we must simply submit to the affliction, as trying as it may be, with all the patience we can. Fortunately, as the occupant of the Governor's office is without a veto, he can do the State no material injury without the co-operation of a Legislature. He has done her harm, inestimable harm, but it was because there were men enough in the last Legislature to agree with him and carry out measures inspired by partisan scheming or by personal ambition. We cannot relieve our State of the blight of Russell, but we can elect a Legislature which will protect her, tie Russell's hands, make him powerless and a cipher for mischief. Four years of Russell is pretty rough, but with a Democratic Legislature we can stand Russell for two years more, for then it will be simply Russell without the Russellism which for the past two years has given North Carolina such an unenviable notoriety.

If we elect a Legislature this Fall it will be a comparatively easy matter to elect a Democratic Governor two years hence, for it will repeal the election laws which made it possible for the party, or rather party combine now in power to pack the registration books with imported negro ballot-box stuffers and carry elections by frauds the most stupendous ever perpetrated in this State.

There is enough to arouse the taxpayers of the State to a determination to rescue her from the infliction of another Legislature like the last, if by courtesy much strained such a mob can be called a Legislature, for the people have had to meet the extraordinary appropriations, as hard as the times were and are, made by these squanderers of the public funds, who spent in the three years they have had control nearly $400,000 more than the Democratic administration did in the three preceding years. This should be reason enough why the people should rise against them and rebuke them for the trust they abused after making such fine promises of faithful and conscientious stewardship.

When the owner of a plantation employs agents to attend to the business of managing his plantation and at the end of the year he finds the expenses of operating immensely increased without anything to show for it, does he employ that agent or those agents for another year or get rid of him or them and seek the services of men who had previously done better work and more of it for much less money? This is what every planter with sense enough to keep out of bankruptcy or a lunatic asylum would do and this is what every business man, no matter what his business, employing managers would do.

Why then should the tax-paying people who have to pay the expenses of running the State government continue to employ incompetent and faithless stewards to manage their business when they know their money has been squandered, and the burdens made heavier upon them, without anything to show for it?

A hundred and thirty-three thousand dollars a year is no small sum for the people to put their hands into their pockets and pay, with six cent cotton and other products which they had to sell correspondingly low, especially when such an extra tribute upon them was entirely unnecessary and without any shadow of excuse.

While this mongrel legislature, or mob, was doing this, adding one hundred and thirty-three thousand dollars a year to the cost of conducting the affairs of State, they looked with an eye single, and with a scandalous greed to their own interests, and scrambled with an almost ludicrous energy forevery position that had a dollar in it. Since the days of the sickening Radical orgie just after the war, when soulless adventurers and hungry native renegades raided the treasury and stole everything in sight there never was seen such a disgusting and greedy rush for places large and small as was witnessed during the last legislature when the bartering of office was the order of the day, and every man who belonged to the mongrel combine became a scrambler for himself or for some ward, or dependent or henchman. A hungry tramp begging for a cold snack would pose as a gentleman compared with this gang of legislators, in their run-over and scrouge-out race for the pie counter.

And these were the patriots, the loud-mouth "reformers," who ostensibly went to Raleigh to attend to the business of the people, who paid them for it, and paid some of them more than they ever before received in the same time or ever will again.

No people endowed with ordinary sense would, after such an experience, ever think of again entrusting such a discredited and disgraced gang with the management of their public affairs, and this from a purely businesss standpoint.

But there are other and more vital reasons why the people should look to the Legislature, to which we will refer later.

THEY ALL DO IT.

We clip the following from the Monroe *Enquirer:*

"I have said that I would never vote a fusion ticket again, but I swallow fusion now, negro and all." Those words were uttered by Jas. A. Marsh in the Populist convention last Saturday when he was nominated by that convention for county commissioner. "I swallow fusion, negro and all." What a word for a man to utter when white supremacy in our State hangs in the balance. Mr. Marsh may swallow "negro and all" now, but there comes a time when the white people of Union county will show him that the man who makes such an utterance will be repudiated. We have heard a number of good citizens express surprise and regret at Mr. Marsh's utterance, but they don't know Mr. Marsh as well as we do. Mr. Marsh will swallow a great deal for the sake of a little office. He is built that way."

As far as we know the swallower herein referred to has not achieved much fame outside of his immediate locality, but he stands as a sample. Every white man who swallows fusion swallows the negro too. It was that swallowing of the negro which has so much reversed the conditions in this State and made the negroes as assertive and aggressive as they are. The Populists who have voted for fusion have "put life into the dead hulk of the Republican party," as Populist Senator Atwater, of Chatham county, says, and that put life into the negro contingent and brought it to the front.

These fusion deals were made by the Populists machine managers, who have just made another at Raleigh, with a full knowledge of all this. They are willing to swallow the negro for the offices they may get by the swallowing, and they expect every Populist who will obey them to do the same. About the only difference between Mr. Marsh and other white-skinned men who vote the fusion ticket is that he has the candor or the cheek, whichever it may be, to own up and stand a self-confessed, unprincipled spoils hunter.

THE TRADE CLOSED.

As anticipated by those who have kept up with the movements of the engineers who are running the Republican and Populist machines in this State the trade by which they pool their issues in the coming election was closed by their respective committees at Raleigh Thursday night, or rather Friday morning, for it was one o'clock in the morning before they closed the deal. As this was simply a trade for the offices the people of either of the parties were not supposed to be interested and were therefore not consulted.

The Populist committee which participated in this deal had previously submitted a proposition to the Democrats accompanied by certain conditions upon the acceptance of which they were willing to fuse with the Democrats. Practically this proposition embraced acceptance of the Populist platform and an agreement to give the Populists all the offices, federal and State which they now hold. Very properly it was promptly rejected by the Democratic State convention to which it was made. The question may now be asked, did the Republican machine managers swallow the whole thing or only the part of it which provides for dividing the spoils.

The sum and substance of this whole business means that these Populist dickerers who profess to be in favor of free silver, against trusts, monopolies, &c., agree to support goldbug candidates who are in favor of the gold standard, trusts, monopolies, &c., and the Republicans who favor the gold standard, trusts, monopolies, &c., agree to support candidates who are opposed to all that and to nearly everything else that they believe in, and yet these mercenary traders in votes have the brazen effrontery to talk about "principle."

"NO TIME TO TALK ABOUT PRINCIPLES."

That is what S. Otho Wilson said when Mr. Wynn, an anti-fusionist of Wake county, said that fusion with goldbug Republicans was against the principles of the Populist party. S. Otho Wilson is the leader of the anti-Butler faction of the Populist party. He has been a trader from the word go and thoroughly unscrupulous as to his methods to attain his ends. Such a man is not expected to have any regard for principles or to have any patience with people who may have more conscience than he has, or who object to bartering principles at the dictates of greed for office.

S. Otho has played his game so long and with so little opposition that he has come to regard himself as a sort of mogul, and expects Populists to quietly let him and others in collusion with him fix up the jobs, and then endorse and vote for them without question, because that means a stronger pull on the Republican party for Otho, and a chance either to be elected to some office which he wants or to get some federal job later if he should fail in being elected. Like Senator Pritchard, if he ever had any principles, he holds them "in abeyance" until he sees how the office-grabbing business pans out. When deals are on it is "no time to talk about principles," which, to say the least of it, is candid on the part of S. Otho.

POINTS POLITICAL.

NEGRO SCHOOL COMMITTEEMEN.

This county has several negro school committeemen who help to look after our white schools. They have the privilege of going into the school houses where white ladies teach and asking them such questions as they think proper about the conduct of the schools.—*Sanford Express.*

ALL WHITE.

The white men of No. 12 Township, Edgecombe county, irrespective of party, met in this town last Saturday and organized a White Government Union. A committee of five was appointed to report on organization of the Union at the next meeting, which will be on the first Saturday in September.—*Rocky Mount Argonaut.*

TOO MUCH NIGGER IN IT.

Mr. W. F. Edwards, editor of the Lemon Springs *Hustler*, was in town last Monday. He says he has voted the Pop. ticket ever since that party has been in existence, but that there is too much 'nigger' mixed with it to suit his fancy now. He will vote Democratic next time.—*Jonesboro Progress.*

A STAMPEDE IN WAKE.

The prospects for a Democratic victory in Wake county grow brighter every day. The most encouraging reports are being received from every section of the county. Three well-informed gentlemen from the northern end of the County said last night that the desertions from the fusion forces in that section of the county amounted to a stampede.—*Raleigh News and Observer.*

A DECOY DUCK.

Dr. R. M. Norment, independent Republican candidate for Congress from this district, was here last Saturday and asked for a division of time with Wetmore, Dockery and Cade, but no division of time was made. Dr. Norment spoke to a small crowd in the court house Saturday night. The doctor is a decoy duck and we predict that he will be whooping for Dockery before the campaign is over.—*Monroe Enquirer.*

— Rounder—"I am afraid my liver is getting out of order." Sounder—"What makes you think so?" Rounder—"I was worrying about my debts this morning."—*Town Topics.*

A Clever Trick.

It certainly looks like it, but there is really no trick about it. Anybody can try it who has Lame Back and Weak Kidneys, Malaria or nervous troubles. We mean he can cure himself right away by taking Electric Bitters. This medicine tones up the whole system, acts as a stimulant to Liver and Kidneys, is a blood purifier and nerve tonic. It cures Constipation, Headache, Fainting Spells, Sleeplessness and Melancholy. It is purely vegetable, a mild laxative, and restores the system to its natural vigor. Try Electric Bitters and be convinced that they are a miracle worker. Every bottle guaranteed. Only 50c. a bottle at R. R. BELLAMY'S Drug Store. †

For Over Fifty Years.

MRS. WINSLOW'S SOOTHING SYRUP has been used for over fifty years by millions of mothers for their children while teething, with perfect success. It soothes the child, softens the gums, allays all pain, cures wind colic, and is the best remedy for Diarrhœa. It will relieve the poor little sufferer immediately. Sold by Druggists in every part of the world. Twenty-five cents a bottle. Be sure and ask for "Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup," and take no other. †

CASTORIA.
Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher. The Kind You Have Always Bought

I'M GROWING OLD.

JOHN G. SAXE.

My days pass pleasantly away;
My nights are blessed with sweetest sleep;
I feel no symptoms of decay,
I have no cause to mourn or weep;
My foes are impotent and shy,
My friends are neither false nor cold;
And yet of late I often sigh—
I'm growing old!

My growing talk of olden times,
My growing thirst for early news,
My growing apathy to rhymes,
My growing love of easy shoes,
My growing hate of crowds and noise,
My growing fear of taking cold,
All whisper in the plainest voice
I'm growing old!

I'm growing fonder of my staff,
I'm growing dimmer in the eyes,
I'm growing fainter in my laugh,
I'm growing deeper in my sighs,
I'm growing careless in my dress,
I'm growing frugal of my gold,
I'm growing wise, I'm—yes—
I'm growing old!

I see it in my changing taste,
I see it in my changing hair,
I see it in my growing waist,
I see it in my growing heir,
A thousand sighs proclaim the truth,
As plain as truth was ever told,
That even in my vaunted youth
I'm growing old!

Ah, me! my very laurels breathe
The tale in my reluctant ears,
And every boon the hours bequeath
But makes me debtor to the years!
E'en flattery's honeyed words declare
The secret she would fain withhold,
And tells me in "How young you are!"
I'm growing old!

Thanks for the years, whose rapid flight
My sombre muse too sadly sings;
Thanks for the gleams of golden light
That tint the darkness of their wings,
The light that beams from out the sky,
Those heavenly mansions to unfold,
Where all are blest, and none may sigh,
I'm growing old!

SUNDAY SELECTIONS.

— Christ only calls upon his followers to bear their cross; but He died upon his own.—*South Western Presbyterian.*

— Blessed be the hand that prepared a pleasure for a child, for there is no saying when and where it may bloom forth.

— Never make comrades of boys who are continually saying and doing evil things. A boy as well as a man, is known by the company he keeps.

— Just as the sin of Judea was overruled for the good of the world, so the sin of the world will be overruled for the good of the universe.—*J. R. Kilburn.*

— If you want to be miserable, think about yourself, about what you want, what you like, what respect people ought to pay you, and what people think of you.

— Jesus Christ could not save the world without sacrifices. We can no nothing for him without sacrifice. Difficulties are made to be overcome. They are not necessarily hindrances.

— If I am Christ's, then his divine life must be poured into my heart, into my soul, into my life, into my body, into my property, into my home, into my busines, and into my pleasures.—*Webb-Peploe.*

— Our fellow creatures can only judge of what we are from what we do; but, in the eye of our Maker, what we do is of no worth except as it flows from what we are.—*Samuel T. Coleridge.*

— Housekeepers by the food they provide, by the couches they spread, by the books they introduce, by the influences they bring around their homes, are deciding the physical, intellectual, moral and eternal destiny of the race.—*T. DeWitt Talmage.*

TWINKLINGS.

— "I am told that 'Ben Hur' is sold in a dozen languages." Well so are bananas—right in this town."—*Chicago Tribune.*

— "A penny saved," said Uncle Eben, "is a penny earned. But a penny in debt is li'bel ter grow ter 'bout 'leven dollars in purty near no time."—*Washington Star.*

— Mr. Hilland—"I wonder how a Chinese mandarin feels when he loses his yellow jacket." Mr. Halket—"It makes him as mad as a hornet."—*Pittsburg Chronicle.*

— His Idea of Luck.—"We don't have no luck at our house like they have over to Jimmy Smithers." "Why, what kind of luck do the Smithers have?" "Jimmy Smithers, father has dyspepsia an' there's always a piece of pie left over and Jimmy gets it."—*Cleveland Plain Dealer.*

— A Misunderstood Man: "Nobody can learn all there is worth knowing in this lifetime," said Mr. Meekton, wisely. "And a man ought never to assume that his education is finished. I'm going to keep right ahead with mine. I'm going to study astronomy." His wife looked at him sharply, and then in a cold, hard tone exclaimed: "Leonidas, you'll have to think up some better excuse than that for staying out all night."—*Washington Star.*

A CRITICAL TIME

During the Battle of Santiago.

SICK OR WELL, A RUSH NIGHT AND DAY,

The Packers at the Battle of Santiago de Cuba were all Heroes, Their Heroic Efforts in Getting Ammunition and Rations to the Front Saved the Day.

P. E. Butler, of pack-train No, 3, writing from Santiago, De Cuba, on July 23d, says: "We all had diarrhœa in more or less violent form, and when we landed we had no time to see a doctor, for it was a case of rush and rush night and day to keep the troops supplied with ammunition and rations, but thanks to Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhœa Remedy, we were able to keep at work and keep our health; in fact, I sincerely believe that at one critical time this medicine was the indirect saviour of our army, for if the packers had been unable to work there would have been no way of getting supplies to the front. There were no roads that a wagon train could use. My comrade and myself had the good fortune to lay in a supply of this medicine for our pack-train before we left Tampa, and I know in four cases it absolutely saved life."

The above letter was written to the manufacturers of this medicine, the Chamberlain Medicine Co., Des Moines, Iowa. For sale by R. R. BELLAMY. †

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Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher. The Kind You Have Always Bought

BROADCLOTH GOWN WITH FLOWERED MOIRÉ FROM HARPER'S BAZAR.

BROADCLOTH, which is in great demand for early fall costumes, especially in the various late effects of brown, is the material of a handsome gown made up with rich flowered moire of new design. While the outlines of many of the French corsages are more severe, there is much diversity in the varied forms of jacket and fancy waists. Plastrons also, in great variety, are continued. The jacket front of this gown laps far to the left side, where it is fastened with three large silver buttons. In this instance the jacket forms a portion of the waist, being sewn in with the shoulder and under-arm seams, and opening over the flowered silk plastron. The brocaded moire is introduced again, like an inverted V, into the front of the skirt which is circular in form and is banded with narrow bias folds in imitation of a shaped flounce, its width at the bottom being four and a half yards. The back may be pleated or gathered. While many of the new skirts are made over a perfectly fitted foundation, the circular models are usually lined throughout in order to preserve their form better.

The sleeve of this gown illustrates one of the newest designs, from which the epaulette has entirely disappeared. Two bias folds cross the close top. This gown is taken from HARPER'S BAZAR, and cut paper patterns can be obtained from that paper.

The hat of brown-tinted felt, rolling high from the face, is effectively trimmed with a cluster of roses and foliage.

Quantity of material for gown—5¼ yards wool 52 inches wide; 1¼ yards silk.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE.

— Murfreesboro *Index:* Mr. Henry L. Hill died at his home in Boykins, Aug. 25th, of kidney disease, in the 49th year of his age. —— In the death of Dr. Roswell Lynden Cowper, Murfreesboro loses a well known citizen. His death occurred Wednesday at one o'clock, after a week's illness of congestion of the lungs, aged 74 years.

—Monroe *Journal:* Chief of Police Ashcraft arrested a negro here Monday for drunkenness and fighting. On his person was found a good new pistol and quite a quantity of jewelry. The jewelry, consisting of buttons, watches and chains, was new and still had the owner's cost mark on it, and was evidently stolen. The owner has been found to be Mr. J. C. Paysuer, of Lancaster, and his store was robbed.

— Wadesboro *Messenger-Intelligencer:* Mrs. Ellen Glass, relict of the late Dr. W. H. Glass, died at her residence in Wadesboro Friday, August 26th, in the 81st year of her age. Mrs. Glass had been in declining health for a long time, and her death has been expected for several months. —— Walter Alford, formerly of this place, but now of Rockingham, shot a negro in the latter place Wednesday. The negro was cursing out the white people generally and was advancing on Alford with a knife when he was hot. It was at first thought that the negro was fatally wounded, but it is now believed he will recover.

— Columbus *News:* Farmers bring very discouraging reports of the conditions of the cotton crop, owing to the continued rains, which have caused it to shed, in some places its entire foliage. —— Three papers were probated and recorded here this week on which there were $8,547.50 worth of revenue stamps. They were a mortgage, a deed and a release of the Wilmington, Columbia & Augusta railroad. The consideration mentioned in the deed was $1,748,000. —— Messrs. Calder Bros., are putting in an improved cotton ginning outfit at the depot, consisting of three gins and a cotton ginning outfit and suction machinery for handling cotton automatically. It has a capacity of about forty bales per day. They have a splendid flow of artesian water to supply the boiler.

FRENCH HUMOR.

M. Francisque Sarcey and His Grotesque Effigy In the Carnival.

It is often said that Frenchmen lack humor and dread ridicule, but M. Francisque Sarcey has given an example of that humorous good sense which defies mockery. At carnival time in Paris it is customary to exhibit on the boulevards grotesque effigies of well known public men. A modest stranger called on M. Sarcey to tell him that his image was to figure in the procession.

"Very good," said M. Sarcey. "What can I do for you?"

"Well, if you would be so kind as to lend us some of your veritable garments, they would make the likeness all the stronger."

"No doubt," responded the critic blandly. "In that cupboard you will find several hats."

"Oh, the veritable hat will not do! You see, your head—I mean the head of the effigy—is enormous."

"Tres bien. Take a coat, then."

Dressed in the veritable coat, the Sarcey dummy was an immense success. It seemed so strange to literary Paris, however, for a man to aid and abet the caricature of himself that M. Sarcey has volunteered an explanation, which is a delicious bit of humor. "Lamartine," he remarks, "would not have consented to lend his coat for such a purpose. He was a poet with a sensitive soul. So was Victor Hugo. But what would you? We cannot all be Lamartines and Hugos. Why should we poor journalists, who have no feelings to speak of, deny ourselves to the populace when we can contribute to their harmless amusement? Besides, they may not always think it worth their while to notice us.

"An agreeable trifler came to me the other day and asked my permission for the use of my name in a burlesque. I gave it cheerfully. 'This may be the last time,' said he. 'What do you mean?' I asked. 'Well, you are going out of date, and next year you may not be worth a laugh!' "—Exchange.

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BAGGING—		
2 lb Jute	5½	7
Standard	7	7½
WESTERN SMOKED—		
Hams, lb	12	13½
Sides, lb		9
Shoulders, lb		7
DRY SALTED—		
Sides, lb		6
Shoulders, lb		5½
BARRELS Spirits Turpentine—		
Second-hand, each	1 10	
New New York, each	1 30	
New City, each	1 10	
SEGEWAX, lb		24
BRICKS—		
Wilmington, M	5 00	7 00
Northern	9 00	14 00
BUTTER—		
North Carolina, lb	15	18
Northern	18	25
CORN MEAL—		
Per bushel, in sacks		40
Virginia Meal		42
COTTON TIES, bundle		80
CANDLES, lb—		
Sperm	18	25
Adamantine	8	11
CHEESE, lb—		
Northern Factory	10	11
Dairy, Cream		11
State		10
COFFEE, lb—		
Laguyra	19	20
Rio	7½	9
DOMESTICS—		
Sheeting, 4-4, yard		5½
Yarns, bunch	18	30
EGGS—dozen	19	14
FISH—		
Mackerel, No. 1, barrel	22 00	30 00
Mackerel, No. 1, half-bbl	11 00	15 00
Mackerel, No. 2, barrel	16 00	18 00
Mackerel, No. 2, half-bbl	8 00	9 00
Mackerel, No. 3, barrel	13 00	14 00
Mullets, barrel		4 00
Mullets, pork barrel		4 25
N. C. Roe Herring, box	3 00	3 25
Dry Cod, lb	5	10
" Extra	4 50	4 80
FLOUR—lb—		
Low grade		3 25
Choice		3 50
Straight	3 75	4 00
First Patent	4 75	5 00
GLUE—lb	7½	8½
GRAIN—bushel—		
Corn, from store, bgs—White	50	52½
Car load, in bags—White		50
Oats, from store	35	37½
Oats, Rust Proof		45
Cow Peas	90	1 00
HIDES—lb—		
Green		5
Dry		12
HAY, 100 lbs—		
Clover Hay		75
Rice Straw		50
Eastern		90
Western		90
North River		85
HOOP IRON, lb	1½	4
LARD, lb—		
Northern	6½	7
North Carolina	6	10½
LIME, barrel	1 15	1 25
LUMBER (city sawed), M ft—		
Ship Stuff, resawed	13 00	20 00
Rough-edge Plank	15 00	16 00
West India cargoes, according to quality	13 00	18 00
Dressed Flooring, seasoned	16 00	22 00
Scantling and Board, com'n	14 00	15 00
MOLASSES, gallon—		
Barbadoes, in hogshead		36
Barbadoes in barrels		38
Porto Rico, in hogsheads		37
Porto Rico, in barrels		35
Sugar-House, in hogsheads	12	14
Sugar-House, in barrels	14	15
Syrup, in barrels	12	13
NAILS, keg, Cut, 60d basis	1 40	1 50
PORK, barrel—		
City Mess	11 00	11 50
Rump		12 00
Prime		11 50
ROPE, lb	12	12
SALT, sack Alum		1 10
Liverpool	70	75
American	70	70
Or, 100 lb Sacks		47½
SHINGLES, 7-inch, M	5 00	6 00
Common	1 50	2 25
Cypress Saps	3 50	3 50
SUGAR, lb—Standard Gran'd	5¾	5¾
Standard A		5¼
White Extra C		5
Extra C, Golden		4¾
C, Yellow		4¾
SOAP, lb—Northern	3½	4
STAVES, W R—W. O. barrel	6 00	14 00
R. O. Hogshead		10 00
TIMBER, M ft—Shipping		6 00
Mill, Prime		7 00
Mill, Fair		6 50
Common Mill		5 50
Inferior to Ordinary		3 00
SHINGLES, N. C. Cypress sawed, M 6x18 heart	7 50	8 50
" Sap	5 00	6 00
5x24 Heart	4 50	5 00
" Sap	3 00	4 50
4x24 Heart	3 00	4 50
" Sap	2 00	3 50
TALLOW, lb		4
WHISKEY, gallon—Northern	1 20	2 00
North Carolina	1 00	2 00
WOOL, lb—Unwashed	6	11

COMMERCIAL.

WILMINGTON MARKET.

STAR OFFICE, Sept. 3.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE.—Market firm at 27¼ cents per gallon for machine-made casks and 27¼ cents per gallon for country casks.

ROSIN.—Market firm at $1.05 per bbl for Strained and $1.10 for Good Strained.

TAR.—Market very firm at $1.25 per bbl of 280 lbs.

CRUDE TURPENTINE.—Market firm at $1.10 per barrel for Hard $1.60 for Dip, and $1.60 for Virgin.

Quotations same day last year.—Spirits turpentine firm, 27½c. 28¼c; rosin steady, $1.15, $1.20; tar firm, $1.10; crude turpentine firm, $1.30, $1.80, $1.90.

RECEIPTS.

Spirits Turpentine	80
Rosin	295
Tar	103
Crude Turpentine	49

Receipts same day last year.—145 casks spirits turpentine, 560 bbls rosin, 122 bbls tar, 30 bbls crude turpentine.

COTTON.

Market dull on a basis of 5¼c per pound for middling. Quotations:

Ordinary	3 13-16 cts. ₱ lb
Good Ordinary	4⅛ " "
Low Middling	4 13-16 " "
Middling	5¼ " "
Good Middling	5⅝ " "

Same day last year, middling 7c.

Receipts—45 bales; same day last year, 732.

COUNTRY PRODUCE.

PEANUTS—North Carolina—Prime, 60@65c per bushel of 28 pounds; Extra Prime, 70c; Fancy, 75c. Virginia—Extra Prime, 65c; Fancy, 70c; Spanish, 70@80c.

CORN.—Firm; 52½@55 cents per bushel.

ROUGH RICE.—None offering.

N. C. BACON.—Steady; hams, 10 to 11c per pound; shoulders, 6 to 7c; sides, 7 to 8c.

SHINGLES.—Per thousand, five inch, hearts and saps, $1.60 to $2.25; six inch, $2.25 to $3.25; seven inch, $3.50 to $4.50.

TIMBER.—Market steady at $2.50 to $6.50 per M.

NAVAL STORES MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, September 3.—Rosin was steady; strained, common to good, $1 30. Spirits turpentine steady at 30 @30½c.

CHARLESTON, September 3.—Spirits turpentine firm at 26½c; no sales. Rosin firm and unchanged; no sales.

SAVANNAH, September 3.—Spirits turpentine firm, 28c; sales 442 casks; receipts 1,670 casks. Rosin firm and unchanged; no sales.

COTTON MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, September 3.—The cotton market opened barely steady, with January unchanged and other months one to four points lower. Following the call the trading basis was two to three points under the final figures of yesterday with business exceptionally light. The easier feeling was directly due to a weak set of English cables. Considering the weakness abroad, our market exhibited a relatively steady front. Reports of further heavy rains in the eastern portion of the cotton belt and bearish crop accounts generally checked bear selling and led the more confident bulls to increase their holdings in a small way. Speculation was very slack late in the forenoon with the close quiet at a net loss of three to five points.

NEW YORK, September 3.—Cotton quiet and steady; middling uplands 5¾c.

Cotton futures closed quiet; September 5.47c, October 5.52c, November 5.55c, December 5.58c, January 5.63c, February 5.66c, March 5.70c, April 5.74, May 5.76c, June 5.80c.

Spot cotton closed quiet and steady; middling gulf 6c; middling uplands 5¾c; sales 839 bales.

Net receipts — bales; gross receipts 25 bales; forwarded 25 bales; sales 839 bales; sales to spinners 738 bales; stock (actual) 51,657 bales.

Total to-day—Net receipts 5,457 bales; exports to the Continent 400 bales; stock 175,562 bales.

Total since September 1st—Net receipts 16,866 bales; exports to Great Britain 12,396 bales; exports to the Continent 400 bales.

Sept. 3.—Galveston, steady at 5 7-16c, net receipts 833 bales; Norfolk, dull at 5¼c, net receipts 847 bales; Baltimore, nominal at 6c, net receipts — bales; Boston, easy at 5 13-16, net receipts 131 bales; Wilmington, dull at 5¼c, net receipts 47 bales; Philadelphia, holiday —c, net receipts — bales; Savannah, quiet at 5¼c, net receipts 153 bales; New Orleans, quiet at 5⅜c, net receipts 270 bales; Mobile, quiet at 5¼c, net receipts 203 bales; Memphis, quiet at 5 1-16c, net receipts 31 bales; Augusta, firm at 5 7-16c, net receipts 94 bales; Charleston, quiet at 5c, net receipts 109 bales.

PRODUCE MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, September 3.—Butter steady; Western creamery 14¼@18¼c; Western factory 11¼@14c; Elgins 18¼; imitation creamery 13@16c; State dairy 13@17c. Cheese dull; large white 7¼. Potatoes steady; Jersey $1 25@1 75; Long Island $1 37½@1 75; Jersey sweets $2 12½@2 50; Southern $1 25@1 50. Cotton seed oil dull; prime yellow 22@23c. Petroleum dull. Rice steady. Cabbage dull. Sugar—Raw strong; fair refining 3 13-16c; centrifugal 96 test 4½c; molasses sugar 3 9-16c; refined strong.

CHICAGO, September 3.—Enormous receipts of wheat in the northwest lowered prices. Expectation of a heavy accumulation Tuesday was also a leading factor. September left off 1c down and December lost 1c. Corn declined 1c. Oats are 1c lower; pork is off 2½c and lard and ribs 7½c each.

CHICAGO, September 3.—Cash quotations: Flour easy; spring specials $4 50; hard patents $3 70@3 90; soft patents $3 60@3 70; hard wheat straights $3 10@3 20; bakers $2 95 @2 50. Wheat—No. 2 red 62c; No. 3 spring 58@63c; No. 2 red 65c. Corn—No. 2 30¼c. Oats—No. 2 20¼c; No. 2 white 'free on board, 24@25c; No. 3 white free on board, 23@23c. Mess pork, per bbl., $8 45@8 50. Lard, per 100 lbs., $4 95@5 02½. Short rib sides, loose $5 15@5 40. Dry salted shoulders, boxed, $4 30@4 75. Short clear sides, boxed, $5 50@5 70.

The leading futures ranged as follows, opening, highest, lowest and closing: Wheat—No. 2 September 63½, 63¼, 62, 63¼c; December 61¼, 61¼, 60¾, 60½; May 63¼, 63¼, 62¾, 63¾. Corn—September 30½, 30¾, 30¼, 30¼; December 30½, 30¼, 30¼, 30¼c; May 32¾, 32¾, 32¾, 32½c. Oats—September 19¾, 19¾, 19¾, 19¾c; December 19¼, 19¾, 19¼, 19¼; May 22, 22, 21½, 21¾c. Pork, per bbl.—September $8 62½, 8 65, 8 35, 8 42½; October $8 67½, 8 67½, 8 40, 8 45; December $8 72½, 8 72½, 8 50, 8 55. Lard, per 100 lbs—September $4 95; October $5 02½, 5 02½, 4 95, 4 95; December $5 05, 5 05, 5 00, 5 00. Ribs per 100 lbs.—September $5 30, 5 30, 5 22½, 5 25; October $5 30, 5 30, 5 22½, 5 27½.

BALTIMORE, September 3.—Flour dull and easy; western superfine $2.40 @2.65. Wheat—spot 66½@67c; month 66¾@67c; October 68¾@68¾c; December 68¼@68½c. Southern wheat by sample 60@65c. Corn easier—spot and month 34@34½c; October 34½@34¾c. Southern white corn 34@35½c. Oats dull; N. 2 white western 26½@27c.

FOREIGN MARKET.

By Cable to the Morning Star.

LIVERPOOL, September 3, 2 P. M.—Cotton—spot in retail demand; prices 1-32d; American middling fair 3 23-32d; good middling 3 13-32d; middling 3 5-16d; low middling 3 5-32d; good ordinary 3d; ordinary 2 13-16d. The sales of the day were 5,000 bales, of which 300 were for speculation and export and included 4,500 bales American. Receipts 1,500 bales, all American.

Futures opened quiet with a moderate demand and closed barely steady. American middling (l. m. c.): September 3 11-64@3 12-64d buyer; September and October 3 9-64d buyer; October and November 3 7-64@3 8-64d seller; November and

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The Most Infamous That Ever Appeared in Print in This State.

The Alarmed Politicians are Trying to Break the Force of It by Resorting to Various Dodges, But They are Too Thin.

The infamous assault on the white women of this State which appeared on the 18th of August in the *Daily Record*, the negro paper published in this city, has aroused a storm of indignation from one end of the State to the other. We have received so many requests for copies of the STAR containing this article that we herewith reproduce it in full, the accuracy of which is certified to by Col. John D. Taylor, Clerk of the Superior Court of New Hanover county, and by a number of our well-known business men. The article is headed:

Mrs. Felton's Speech.

"A Mrs. Felton, from Georgia, makes a speech before the Agricultural Society at Tybee, Ga., in which she advocates lynching as an extreme measure. This woman makes a strong plea for womanhood, and if the alleged crimes or rape were half so frequent as is ofttimes reported, her plea would be worthy of consideration.

"Mrs. Felton, like many other so-called Christians, loses sight of the basic principle of the religion of Christ in her plea for one class of people as against another. If a missionary spirit is essential for the uplifting of the poor white girls, why is it? The morals of the poor white people are on a par with their colored neighbors of like conditions, and if any one doubts the statement let him visit among them. The whole lump needs to be leavened by those who profess so much religion and showing them that the preservation of virtue is an essential for the life of any people.

"Mrs. Felton begins well for she admits that education will better protect the girls on the farm from the assaulter. This we admit and it should not be confined to the white any more than to the colored girls. The papers are filled often with reports of rapes of white women, and the subsequent lynching of the alleged rapists. The editors pour forth volleys of aspersions against all negroes because of the few who may be guilty. If the papers and speakers of the other race would condemn the commission of crime because it is crime and not try to make it appear that the negroes were the only criminals, they would find their strongest allies in the intelligent negroes themselves, and together the whites and blacks would root the evil out of both races.

"We suggest that the whites guard their women more closely, as Mrs. Felton says, thus giving no opportunity for the human fiend, be he white or black. **You leave your goods out of doors and then complain because they are taken away.** Poor white men are careless in the matter of protecting their women, especially on farms. They are careless of their conduct toward them **and our experience among poor white people in the country teaches us that the women of that race are not any more particular in the matter of clandestine meetings with colored men, than are the white men with colored women. Meetings of this kind go on for some time until the woman's infatuation or the man's boldness, bring attention to them and the man is lynched for rape. Every negro lynched is called a 'big, burly, black brute,' when in fact many of those who have thus been dealt with had white men for their fathers, and were not only not 'black' and 'burly' but were sufficiently attractive for white girls of culture and refinement to fall in love with them as is well known to all."**

"Mrs. Felton must begin at the fountain head if she wishes to purify the stream.

"Teach your men purity. Let virtue be something more than an excuse for them to intimidate and torture a helpless people. Tell your men that it is no worse for a black man to be intimate with a white woman, than for a white man to be intimate with a colored woman.

You set yourselves down as a lot of carping hypocrites; in fact you cry aloud for the virtue of your women while you seek to destroy the morality of ours. Don't think ever that your women will remain pure while you are debauching ours. You sow the seed—the harvest will come in due time."

THE AFFIDAVIT OF THE CLERK.

An effort has been made by some of the politicians to fool the people by representing that this slander was a Democratic trick or was garbled, but the following affidavit from the Clerk of the Superior Court settles the question as to its accuracy:

NORTH CAROLINA,
NEW HANOVER COUNTY.

I, John D. Taylor, Clerk of the Superior Court of New Hanover county, do hereby certify that the foregoing is an accurate and true copy of an editorial in the *Daily Record*, a paper published in the city of Wilmington, of date Aug. 18, 1898.

"I further certify that said paper has been published in said city at least eight months prior to this date; that Alex. L. Manly, the editor, is a negro, is well known as a Republican and has before this held the office of Deputy Register of Deeds of New Hanover county, by appointment from Charles W. Norwood, Republican Register of Deeds, of New Hanover county.

"I further certify that John N. Goins, business manager; L. D. Manly, foreman; Jno. T. Howe, general traveling agent; and F. G. Manly, general manager, are all negroes, and are known as Republicans and the said Jno. T. Howe was a Republican Representative from New Hanover county in the Legislature of 1897. Witness my hand and seal this August 24th, 1898.
JOHN D. TAYLOR,
Clerk Superior Court of New Hanover Co.

Who Manly Is.

As the Republican politicians in this county could not call this assault a Democratic trick, or say it was garbled, they tried to break the force of it by repudiating the paper as a party organ and characterizing the editor as a "simpleton" who represents no one but himself. The following affidavit from a number of business men of Wilmington testifies to the accuracy of the published slander, tells who Manly and his associates on the *Record* are and shows that Manly was not regarded as a simpleton, or a nobody before he startled the bosses by the publication of that awful article:

CITIZENS TESTIFY.

B. G. Worth, of the Worth Co.; R. W. Hicks, wholesale grocer; C. E. Borden, president of Navassa Guano Co.; W. L. DeRosset, commander of N. C. Division Confederate Veterans, and John C. Springer, of the firm of W. E. Springer & Co., each being duly sworn says that he has read the foregoing paper, and that the said is an accurate and true copy of an editorial in the *Daily Record* of the date August 18th, 1898; that said paper, the *Daily Record*, has been published in the city of Wilmington at least eight months prior to this date, and Alex. L. Manly, the editor thereof, is a negro, is well known as a Republican and has held the position of Deputy Register of Deeds in New Hanover county under the Republicans.

Affiants further say that John N. Goins, business manager, L. D. Manly, foreman, John T. Hewe, general travelling agent, and F. G. Manly, general manager, are all negroes, and Republicans, and the said John T. Howe was a Republican Representative from New Hanover county in the Legislature of 1897.
W. L. DEROSSET,
JOHN C. SPRINGER,
B. G. WORTH,
R. W. HICKS,
CHAS. E. BORDEN.

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA,
COUNTY OF NEW HANOVER.

Personally appeared before me, Wm. L. DeRossett, B. G. Worth, John C. Springer, R. W. Hicks and Charles E. Borden, shown to me to be the persons they represent themselves to be, and made oaths that the above statement is correct to the best of their knowledge and belief.
JOHN TURRENTINE,
Notary Public.

THE SHIP'S RUDDER.

Its Two Parts and the Difference In the Strain That Comes Upon Them.

The rudder of a wooden ship is composed of the stalk and the backing, which are so joined together as to form in effect a single piece. The complete rudder is coppered, to protect it from worms, and then, besides being practically all in one piece, it has that appearance also.

The stalk is the part to which are attached the pintles, or pivots, by which the rudder is suspended and held in place, these going through eyes set in the ship's sternpost. The stalk runs up through the stern of the ship, and to its head is bolted a cap to which are attached the ropes by means of which the rudder is controlled. The backing is the blade part of the rudder.

By far the greater strain comes on the stalk, and the greatest strain of all comes on the head of the stalk, the rudder head, where it is held. The stalk is made of the wood most likely to stand the strain, carefully selected, sound, well seasoned oak, while the backing is made of spruce or hard pine. The stalk is of a single, solid, massive piece, stout as an oak tree and indeed of the dimensions of a small oak, something that a man can pin his faith to, if he can have faith in any wood, while the backing or blade is, like many modern wooden masts, built up. It would be difficult if not impossible to find trees that would yield planks big enough for the purpose in a single piece, and the built up backing, made of pieces of selected wood, can easily be made of ample strength to withstand any strain that will be brought upon it.

As to the stalk, stout and solid as the oak may be, the head may be twisted by the force of a tremendous blow from a wave upon the rudder, or, under the repeated strains of long use, the head may split, and so make the stalk useless. Then the rudder is taken out and fitted with a new stalk. A suitable stick is selected and worked down to the proper size and form, and very probably the old backing is attached to it. The life of a rudder stalk would probably be 12 to 14 years. The backing might last as long as the ship.—New York Sun.

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CAUSES OF POVERTY.

Hard Condition of Humanity That Is Established by Nature.

"The Causes of Poverty" is the subject of a paper by the late Francis A. Walker in The Century. General Walker says:

In the first place, I should without hesitation say that easily chief among the causes of poverty is the hard condition of the human lot as by nature established. The prime reason why bread must be so dear and flesh and blood so cheap is that the ratio of exchange between the two has been fixed in the constitution of the earth, much to the disadvantage of the latter. When it is written that God cursed the ground and bade it be unfruitful, bringing forth briers and thorns, that man should only eat his bread with a dripping brow, the Scripture does not exceed the truth of the unceasing and ever painful struggle for existence.

Taking it by and large, it is a hard, cold and cruel world, in which little is to be got except by toil and anguish, and of that little not all can be kept by any degree of care and pains. There are indeed regions where the earth spontaneously brings forth fruit enough for a small population and where a moderate effort will largely increase that product, while the climate is so benign that life is easily protected from exposure, but these are not the regions where man ever has, or seemingly ever can, become a noble being, and even here, in the midst of tropical plenty, the serpent stings, the tiger prowls at night around the village, the earthquake and the tornado work their frightful mischief, cholera and malaria kill their millions, while every few years gaunt famine stalks over the land, leaving it cumbered with corpses.

Throughout all the regions inhabited by our own race life is a terribly close and grinding struggle. From four to seven months the earth lies locked up in frost, and its wretched inhabitants cower over the scanty fire and try to outlast the winter. When summer opens, it is to a harsh soil that the peasant resorts to win the means, scanty at the best, of barely preserving life. Sterility is the rule among the soils of earth, mountain and plain alike. The exceptions are a comparatively few fertile valleys in which are concentrated the productive essences of nature. The literature of primitive peoples is ever telling the story of this unceasing wrestle with the hard conditions of existence, and the same dreary tale is repeated down to our own day. Alcman, the Greek, calls spring "the season of short fare," and less than 40 years ago the Irish peasant spoke of "the starving season" which immediately preceded the harvest of the year. If, then, you complain of poverty, make your complaint manfully and squarely against the Maker of the earth, for poverty is largely his work. The socialist is simply dishonest when he charges human misery upon society. Society has done vastly more to relieve misery than to create it.

A Penny Saved.

When Benjamin Franklin wrote "A penny saved is a penny earned," he did not mean a penny skimped from our daily living or from our necessities. That is not "a penny saved" in the best sense. It is a penny stolen from yourself. A penny saved is a penny rescued from waste. An hour taken from needed sleep is not an hour saved, but an hour stolen. An hour taken from idle gossip and turned to some good account, that is an hour saved. And it is the same way with our money and our products. There is no economy in self denial. It is the duty of every man and woman to live the fullest and best life possible, to get the most they can out of life, to nourish the body and mind and soul and to develop them to the highest possible degree. This cannot be done by "skimping." A fuller, freer life is what we need. Economy is necessary, but we must not mistake what economy is. We must save the wastes, stop the leaks, but, having saved, we must put our savings to some good use, else we are like the miser with his gold—a detriment to society instead of a good.—Philadelphia Ledger.

His Own Medicine.

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By virtue of a power of sale contained in a certain mortgage made by W. C. Craft and wife Jennie L. C. Craft and Thos. C. Craft and Lucy C. Craft to John D. Bellamy, recorded in Book No. 22, pages 381, 382, 383 of the records of New Hanover county, the undersigned as attorney, will on Monday, the 12th day of September, A. D. 1898, at 12 o'clock M., at the Court House door of the county aforesaid, sell at public auction for cash, two certain tracts described in said mortgage. First, that lot in the State and county above named and City of Wilmington, bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a point in the northern line of Princess street 66 feet east of the eastern line of Eighth street, running thence along said line of Princess street 66 feet, thence north and parallel with Eighth street 165 feet, thence west and parallel with Princess street 66 feet, thence south and parallel with Eighth street 165 feet to the beginning.

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At the close of Business July 14th, 1898, Condensed from Report to Comptroller.

RESOURCES.		LIABILITIES.	
Loans	$545,955 28	Capital	$125,000 00
Overdrafts	167 97	Surplus	$70,000 00
U. S. 4 per cent. Bonds (at par)	40,100 00	Undivided profits	9,953 25— 79,953 25
Banking House and Fixtures	10,000 00	Circulation	36,000 00
Due from other Banks	$100,664 22	Total Deposits	561,976 40
Cash on hand	99,741 94—200,406 16		
Total	$809,929 65	Total	$809,929 65

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT:

	July 14, '96.	July 14, '97.	July 14, '98.
Total Deposits	$434,000	$514,000	$562,000
Surplus and Net Profits	56,700	69,000	79,900
Bills Payable and Re-discounts	NONE.	NONE.	NONE.

Dividends paid—6 per cent. per annum.
Last Instalment of Capital paid in October, 1892. jy 23 tf

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Schedule in Effect May 29, 1898.

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Train 41—Leaves Wilmington, 3:20 p. m., leaves Lumberton 5:15 p.m., Pembroke 5:35 p. m., Maxton 6:12 p. m., Laurinburg 6:28 p. m., Hamlet 6:53 p. m., Wadesboro 8:16 p. m., Monroe 9:10 p. m., Charlotte 10:25 p. m. Connects at Monroe with train 41 for Atlanta, and and at Hamlet with train 403 for Portsmouth, Richmond, Washington and points North.

Train 41—Leaves Portsmouth 9:20 a. m., leaves Weldon 11:50 a. m., Raleigh 3:40 p. m., Sanford 5:05 p. m., Hamlet 6:56 p. m., Athens 3:43 a. m., and Atlanta 5:20 a. m.

Train 403—Leaves Washington 4:40 p. m., Richmond 8:56 p. m., Portsmouth 8:45 p. m., leaves Weldon 11:28 p. m., Raleigh 2:16 a. m., Sanford 3:35 a. m., Hamlet 5:07 a. m., Rockingham 5:23 a. m., Wadesboro 5:53 a. m., Monroe 6:43 a. m., Charlotte 7:50 a. m., Lincolnton 10:35 a. m., Shelby 11:37 a. m., Rutherfordton 12:50 noon, Athens 1:13 p. m., Atlanta 2:50 p. m.

Train 38—Leaves Atlanta 7:50 p. m., Athens 11:12 p. m., Monroe 6:05 a. m. Leaves Charlotte 5:10 a. m., Monroe 5:55 a. m., Wadesboro 7:01 a. m., Hamlet 8:00 a. m., Raleigh 11:25 a. m., Weldon 3:45 p. m.; arrive Portsmouth 5:20 p. m.

Train 38—Leaves Hamlet 8:30 a. m. Arrives Laurinburg 8:46 a. m., Maxton 9.05 a. m., Pembroke 9:31 a. m., Lumberton 9:53 a. m., Wilmington 12.05 noon.

Train 402—Leaves Atlanta 12:00 m. leaves Athens 3:13 p. m., Monroe 9:40 p. m. Leaves Rutherfordton 4:35 p. m., arrives Shelby 5:55 p. m., Lincolnton 6:56 p. m., Charlotte 8:28 p. m., Monroe 9:40 p. m., Wadesboro 10:31 p. m., Rockingham 11:15 p. m., Hamlet 11:15 p. m., Sanford 1:09 a. m., Raleigh 2:16 a. m., Weldon 4:55 a. m., Portsmouth 7:25 a. m., Richmond 5:29 a. m., Washington 12:31 noon.

Train 18—Leaves Hamlet 7:15 p. m., arrives Gibson 8:10 p. m. Returning, leaves Gibson 6:50 a. m., arrives Hamlet 7:40 a. m.

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NORTH BOUND.	No. 2 DAILY.
Leave Wilmington	8 30 A. M.
Arrive Fayetteville	11 40 "
Leave Fayetteville	11 50 "
Leave Fayetteville Junction	11 54 "
Leave Sanford	1 08 P. M
Leave Climax	3 10 "
Arrive Greensboro	3 40 "
Leave Greensboro	3 50 "
Leave Stokesdale	4 37 "
Leave Walnut Cove	5 07 "
Leave Rural Hall	5 36 "
Arrive Mt. Airy	7 00 "

SOUTH BOUND.	No. 1 DAILY.
Leave Mt. Airy	8 45 A. M.
Leave Rural Hall	10 09 "
Leave Walnut Cove	10 36 "
Leave Stokesdale	11 07 "
Arrive Greensboro	11 55 "
Leave Greensboro	12 13 P. M
Leave Climax	12 42 "
Leave Sanford	2 30 "
Leave Fayetteville Junction	3 40 "
Arrive Fayetteville	3 52 "
Leave Fayetteville	4 02 "
Arrive Wilmington	7 05 "

NORTH BOUND.	No. 4. DAILY.
Leave Bennettsville	8 00 A. M.
Arrive Maxton	9 03 "
Leave Maxton	9 07 "
Leave Red Springs	9 35 "
Leave Hope Mills	10 20 "
Arrive Fayetteville	10 40 "

SOUTH BOUND.	No 3. DAILY.
Leave Fayetteville	4 33 P. M.
Leave Hope Mills	4 53 "
Leave Red Springs	5 35 "
Arrive Maxton	6 00 "
Leave Maxton	6 15 "
Arrive Bennettsville	7 15 "

NORTH BOUND.	No. 16. Mixed Daily Ex Sunday.
Leave Ramseur	6 40 A. M
Leave Climax	8 30 "
Arrive Greensboro	9 17 "
Leave Greensboro	9 35 "
Leave Stokesdale	11 07 "
Arrive Madison	11 55 "

SOUTH BOUND.	No. 15. Mixed Daily Ex Sunday
Leave Madison	12 30 P. M
Leave Stokesdale	1 15 "
Arrive Greensboro	2 30 "
Leave Greensboro	3 00 "
Leave Climax	3 50 "
Arrive Ramseur	5 30 "

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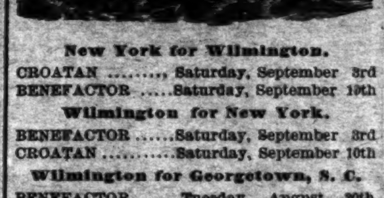

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Schedule In Effect July 23, 1898.

DEPARTURE FROM WILMINGTON—NORTH BOUND

DAILY 9.35 A. M. — No. 48—Passenger—Due Magnolia 10.46 a. m., Warsaw 11.14 a. m., Goldsboro 12.03 a. m., Wilson 12:49 p. m., Rocky Mount 1:30 p. m., Tarboro 2:31 p. m., Weldon 3.25 p. m., Petersburg 5.34 p. m., Richmond 6:40 p. m., Norfolk 5.55 p. m., Washington 11:30 p. m., Baltimore 1:03 a. m., Philadelphia 3:50 a. m., New York 6:53 a. m., †Boston 3:00 p. m.

DAILY 7.15 P. M. — No. 40—Passenger—Due Magnolia 8:55 p. m., Warsaw 9:10 p. m., Goldsboro 10:10 p. m., Wilson 11.06 p. m., †Tarboro 6:45 a. m., Rocky Mount 11:57 p. m., Weldon 1:48 a. m., †Norfolk 10:15 a. m., Petersburg 2:14 a. m., Richmond 4 a. m., Washington 7:41 a. m., Baltimore 9:02 a. m., Philadelphia 11:25 a. m., New York 2.03 p. m., Boston 9:00 p. m.

DAILY except Sunday 2.25 P. M. — No. 50—Passenger—Due Jacksonville 4:13 p. m., Newbern 5:40 p. m.

SOUTH BOUND.

DAILY 3.45 P. M. — No. 55—Passenger—Due Lake Waccamaw 4:56 p. m., Chadbourn 5:28 p. m., Marion 6:34 p. m., Florence 7:15 p. m., Sumter 9:23 p. m., Columbia 10:50 p. m., Denmark 6:12 a. m., Augusta 7:55 a. m., Macon 11:15 a. m., Atlanta 12:35 p. m., Charleston 10:50 p. m., Savannah a. m., Jacksonville 7:30 a. m., St. Augustine 10:30 a. m., Tampa 5:05 p. m.

ARRIALS AT WILMINGTON—FROM THE NORTH.

DAILY 5.40 P. M. — No. 49—Passenger—Leave †Boston 1:03 p. m., *New York 9:00 p. m., Philadelphia 12:05 a. m., Baltimore 2:50 a. m., Washington 4:30 a. m., Richmond 9:05 a. m., Petersburg 10:00 a. m., Norfolk 9:10 a. m., Weldon 11:50 a. m., Tarboro 12:20 p. m., Rocky Mount 1:10 p. m., Wilson 2:20 p. m., Goldsboro 3:05 p. m., Warsaw 2:50 p. m., Magnolia 4.12 p. m.

DAILY 9.30 A. M. — No. 41—Passenger—Leave Boston 12 night, New York 9:30 a. m., Philadelphia 12:09 p. m., Baltimore 2:25 p. m., Washington 3:46 p. m., Richmond 7:30 p. m., Petersburg 8:12 p. m., †Norfolk 2:20 p. m., Weldon 9:43 p. m., †Tarboro 6:00 p. m., Rocky Mount 5:40 a. m., Leave Wilson 6:29 a. m., Goldsboro 7:01 a. m., Warsaw 7.53 a. m., Magnolia 8:05 a. m.

DAILY except Sunday 12.15 P. M. — No. 51—Passenger—Leave Newbern 9:00 a. m., Jacksonville 10:26 a. m.

FROM THE SOUTH.

DAILY 12.20 P. M. — No. 54—Passenger—Leave Tampa 8:10 a. m., Sanford 3:07 p. m., Jacksonville 8:00 p. m., Savannah 1:45 a. m., Charleston 6:33 a. m., Columbia 5.45 a. m., Atlanta 7:50 a. m., Macon 9:00 a. m., Augusta 2:30 p. m., Denmark 4:17 p. m., Sumter 6:06 a. m., Florence 8:55 a. m., Marion 9:34 a. m., Chadbourn 10:30 a. m., Lake Waccamaw 11:09 p. m.

†Daily except Sunday.

Trains on the Scotland Neck Branch Road leave Weldon 4:15 p. m., Halifax 4:30 p. m.; arrive Scotland Neck 5:20 p. m., Greenville 6:57 p. m., Kinston 7:55 p. m. Returning, leaves Kinston 7:50 a. m., Greenville 8:52 a. m.; arriving Halifax at 11:18 a. m., Weldon 11:33 a. m. Daily except Sunday.

Trains on Washington Branch leave Washington 8:20 a. m. and 2:30 p. m.; arrive Parmele 9:10 a. m. and 4:00 p. m.; returning leaves Parmele 9:35 a. m. and 6.30 p. m.; arrives Washington 11:00 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Daily except Sunday.

Train leaves Tarboro, N. C., daily except Sunday, 5:30 p. m.; Sunday, 4:15 p. m.; arrives Plymouth 7:40 p. m. and 6:10 p. m. Returning, leaves Plymouth daily except Sunday, 7:50 a. m. and Sunday 9:00 a. m.; arrive Tarboro 10:05 a. m. and 11:00 a. m.

Train on Midland N. C. Branch leaves Goldsboro, N. C., daily except Sunday, 7:10 a. m.; arrive Smithfield, N. C., 8:30 a. m. Returning leaves Smithfied 9:00 a. m.; arrive Goldsboro 10:25 a. m.

Train on Nashville Branch leaves Rocky Mount at 4.30 p. m.; arrives Nashville 5.05 p. m., Spring Hope 5.30 p. m. Returning, leaves Spring Hope 8.00 a. m., Nashville 8.35 a. m.; arrive Rocky Mount .05 a. m. Daily except Sunday.

Train on Clinton Branch leave Warsaw for Clinton, daily except Sunday, at 11.20 a. m. and 4.15 p. m. Returning, leave Clinton at 7.00 a. m. and 2.45 p. m.

Florence Railroad leave Pee Dee 9.06 a. m., arrive Latta 9.24 a. m., Dillon 9.35 a. m., Rowland 9.50 a. m. Returning, leaves Rowland 6.00 p. m.; arrives Dillon 6.20 p. m., Latta 6.35 p. m., Pee Dee 7.00 p. m., daily.

Trains on Conway Branch leave Hub at 9:25 a. m., Chadbourn 10:43 a. m.; arrive Conway 12:40 p. m.; leave Conway 2:45 p. m., Chadbourn 5:30 p. m.; arrive Hub 6:10 p. m. Daily except Sunday.

Central of South Carolina Railroad leave Sumter 6:05 p. m., Manning 6:35 p. m.; arrive Lane's 7:13 p. m.; leave Lane's 8:34 a. m., Manning 9:08 a. m.; arrive Sumter 9:37 a. m. Daily.

Georgetown and Western Railroad leave Lane's 9:30 a. m., 7:40 p. m.; arrive Georgetown 12:00 m., 9:00 p. m.; leave Georgetown 7:00 a. m., 3:30 p. m.; arrive Lane's 8:25 a. m., 5:55 p. m. Daily except Sunday.

Trains on Cheraw and Darlington Railroad leave Florence daily except Sunday at 8:45 a. m.; arrive Darlington 9:18 a. m., Cheraw 10:50 a. m., Wadesboro 2:25 p. m.; leave Florence daily except Sunday at 8:25 p. m.; arrive Darlington 8.50 p. m., Hartsville — p. m., Bennettsville 9:46 p. m., Gibson 10:10 p. m. Leave Florence Sunday only 8 50 a. m., arrive Darlington 9.20 a. m.

Leave Gibson daily except Sunday at 6:25 a. m., Bennettsville 6:49 a. m.; arrive Darlington 7:40 a. m. Leave Darlington 7:45 a. m.; arrive Florence 8:10 a. m. Leave Wadesboro daily except Sunday 3:00 p. m., Cheraw 5:15 p. m., Hartsville 2:15 a. m., Darlington 6.29 a. m.; arrive Florence 7:00 p. m. Leave Darlington Sunday only 7.50 a. m., arrive Florence 8.15 a. m.

Wilson and Fayetteville Branch leave Wilson 2:17 p. m., 11:13 p. m.; arrive Selma 2.50 p. m., 11:58 p. m., Smithfield 3:02 p. m., Dunn 3:50 p. m., Fayetteville 4:25 p. m., 1:07 a. m., Rowland 6:00 p. m.; returning leave Rowland 9.50 a. m., Fayetteville 11:10 a. m., 10:35 p. m., Dunn 11:50 p. m., Smithfield 12:28 p. m., Selma 12:35 p. m. and 11:44 p. m., arrive Wilson 1:17 p. m., 12:19 a. m.

Manchester & Augusta Railroad trains leave Sumter 4:29 a. m., Creston 5:17 a. m.; arrive Denmark 6:12 a. m. Returning leave Denmark 4:17 p. m., Creston 5:13 p. m., Sumter 6:33 p. m. Daily.

Pregnalls Branch train leaves Creston 5:45 a. m.; arrives Pregnalls 9:15 a. m. Returning, leaves Pregnalls 10:00 a. m.; arrives Creston 3:50 p. m. Daily except Sunday.

Bishopville Branch trains leave Elliot 11:10 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.; arrive Lucknow 1:00 p. m. and 8:30 p. m. Returning, leave Lucknow 6:05 a. m. and 2:00 p. m.; arrive Elliot 8:25 a. m. and 3:30 p. m.

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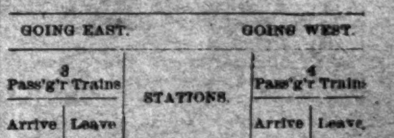

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Train 4 connects with W. & W. train bound North, leaving Goldsboro at 11.35 A. M., and with Southern Railway train West, leaving Goldsboro 2.00 P. M., and with W. & N. at Newbern for Wilmington and intermediate points.

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SUNDAY MORNING, SEPTEMBER 4.

URGING ANNEXATION.

The Better Classes of Filipinos Will Not Submit to Spanish or Tagal Rule. Welcome Stars and Stripes.

By Cable to the Morning Star.

MANILA, September 3.—A Hong Kong deputation, representing the Southern Philippines and consisting of the best and richest natives of Panay, Mindoro, Cebu and Mindanao, visited United States Consul Williams yesterday evening and urged that every possible effort be made for the annexation of the whole of the Philippine islands. The deputation declared that all classes, the warlike mountaineers as well as those engaged in mercantile pursuits, would welcome the stars and stripes and had resolved never to submit to Spanish or Tagal rule. They also said there were four thousand men, many of them armed with rifles, near Iloilo, ready to support the Americans. The refuse to join in the clamor for independence, which they consider a mistake and impracticable. They only wish for annexation to the United States.

Aguinaldo remains at Bakoor. He recently wrote an impertinent letter to General Otis, which resulted in his receiving a sharp snub. The insurgent leader will probably render himself amenable to the American authorities.

FIRST NORTH CAROLINA.

Ordered from Jacksonville to Raleigh to be Mustered Out—The Third Regiment to be Retained in Service.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

WASHINGTON, September 3.—A bulletin was issued by the War Department to-day announcing additional regiments to be mustered out of the service. Adjutant General Corbin said that, in all probability, few if any other troops would be relieved from duty at this time. Included in the organizations to be mustered out is the First North Carolina, fifty officers, 1,160 enlisted men, from Jacksonville to Raleigh.

In connection with the orders mustering out named regiments, it is significant of the government's intention to retain many of the volunteer troops in the service that orders were issued transferring thirteen regiments from their State camps to the various camps of mobilization throughout the country. It is understood that the orders were issued with a view to the retention in the service, perhaps until next Spring, of the organizations named in the orders. Among the regiments included in the orders is the Third North Carolina (colored) from Fort Macon to Knoxville.

MIDDLE-OF-THE-ROAD POPS.

National Convention to Meet in Cincinnati Monday—Policy for 1900 Will Be Outlined.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

CINCINNATI, Sept. 3.—The middle-of-the-road Populists will hold a national convention here next week, beginning Monday at 10 o'clock and continuing indefinitely until the work of reorganization of the party is completed. The convention is called by the national committee of which Milton Park, of Dallas, Texas, is chairman, and which was chosen at the Nashville conference, July the 4th. At the same time there will be a meeting of the National Press Reform Association, which is strongly in favor of bolting and of having an independent organization and an independent ticket. An address will be issued to the people scoring the Populists' National Committee for its fusion record, charging the committee with arbitrary treatment at the general conference in Omaha, June 17th, in turning down the antifusion proposition for a national convention, and a special appeal will be made for the reorganization of the Peoples Party. While no nominations are likely to be made, yet the policy for 1900 will be outlined and the presence of Wharton Baker of Philadelphia, and of Thomas Watson of Georgia, indicates that there may be preferences expressed for the national ticket in 1900. Secretary Parker announces that all Populists opposed to fusion are invited to co-operate in the convention.

ANGLO-GERMAN AGREEMENT.

Germany Prefers That England Rather Than France Should Hold Egypt—An Understanding as to Africa.

By Cable to the Morning Star.

BERLIN, September 3.—The officials of the German foreign office assert that the London reports of an offensive and defensive alliance having been concluded between Great Britain and Germany are entirely without foundation.

The British ambassador here, Sir Frank C. Lascelles, was asked if an agreement between Great Britain and Germany concerning Africa had been reached. He said:

"Such an agreement already exists. Germany prefers that England rather than France should hold Egypt, although all that Germany expected from the English occupation has not been realized.

"An Anglo-German understanding regarding the rest of Africa also exists. The recent meetings between Mr. Balfour and Count Von Hatzfeldt dealt with other matters."

SPAIN'S COMMISSIONERS.

Announcement of Appointments Made by the Madrid Cabinet.

By Cable to the Morning Star.

MADRID, September 3.—It is currently reported that the Spanish ministers, at yesterday's cabinet meeting, definitely selected the three following peace commissioners: General Rafael Cerero y Saenz, general of engineers; Senor Eugenio Montero Rios; Senor Villaurutia, under Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs.

The Carlists declare that after protesting in the Cortes against the policy of the government they will withdraw.

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CAMP WIKOFF, MONTAUK POINT.

President McKinley Spent Five Hours Visiting the Sick in Hospitals.

MADE A GOOD IMPRESSION.

Gen. Wheeler Introduced the President to the Soldiers—Mr. McKinley's Reply. The Soldiers Cheered His Remarks—Gen. Shafter.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

CAMP WIKOFF, MONTAUK POINT, September 3.—President McKinley spent five hours in the camp to-day, bareheaded most of the time, visiting the sick in the hospitals and inspecting the well in their cantonments. He made a speech to the assembled infantrymen, reviewed the cavalrymen, expressed his opinion of the camp to the reporters and issued an order directing the regulars to return to their stations east of the Mississippi.

After greetings and introductions on the railway platform, the President took General Wheeler's arm and went to a carriage. Colonel Theodore Roosevelt, of the Rough Riders, was among the group of horsemen near by. Mr. McKinley saw him and got out of the carriage to speak to him. Colonel Roosevelt hastily dismounted and tussled with a gauntlet for fifteen seconds, so that ungloved he might shake hands. The column of carriages wound up a hill, escorted by the Third cavalry regiment and the mounted band of the Sixth cavalry. The party paused a moment on the hill and the President looked out on the wide, undulating cape, water bound on either side and whitened on the levels and hill tops by the tents of 18,000 men, laid out in geometric lines.

Mr. McKinley drove to General Shafter's tent in the detention camp. The general, who was flushed and weak from a mild case of malarial fever, was in full uniform, sitting in a chair at the door of the tent. He tried to rise, but Mr. McKinley said: "Stay where you are, General. You are entitled to rest."

The President congratulated General Shafter on the Santiago campaign and after a few minutes rest, proceeded to the general hospital. The soldiers recently arrived on transports and detained in the detention section of the camp lined up irregularly on each side of the road and cheered. Mr. McKinley took off his straw hat then, and scarcely put it on again for more than a minute.

Miss Wheeler, a daughter of the general, happened to be in the first row of the hospital tents and she showed the President through her division. General Wheeler announced in each ward: "Boys, the President has come to see you," or "Soldiers, the President of the United States."

Some of the soldiers slept on, unconscious, some listlessly raised upon their elbows, others feebly clapped their hands. Mr. McKinley gently shook hands with many, and at every cot he paused an instant, and if he saw the sick man looking at him he bowed in a direct and personal way.

When seemingly all the wards of the general hospital had been gone through and the President was about to get into a carriage, Attorney General Griggs detained him. "Miss Wheeler has told me," said he, "of a Lieutenant Prado, who is in a tent back here by himself, and he is in a dying condition. He has asked about your coming, and Miss Wheeler has promised that you shall see him." "Certainly. Let us go to him," Mr. McKinley said.

The others of the party discreetly remained outside the tent. The President reappeared with the nurse a minute or two later. His eyes were moist and downcast.

As it was inconvenient to go back to the doors of the long tents, Mr. McKinley said he would go through the frame work at the ends of the tents and jump down. The general hospital is on a slope, and the height of the floors from the ground increased with each ward. At ward F the jump was nearly six feet. Mr. McKinley took it. Vice President Hobart, who is a bulky man, hesitated. "I balk here. Can't go over this hurdle," he said. Neither would Secretary Alger, who had taken all the jumps until then. But General Wheeler sprang lightly down. To-day was hot, Mr. McKinley wore a black frock coat with a waistcoat. The perspiration streamed from his face. A glass of Apolinaris was offered to him but he declined to drink, saying that he was too warm. He proceeded to the infantry plain, as it is called. The men of the Ninth Massachusetts, the First Illinois, the Eighth Ohio, the Thirteenth, Twenty-first, Twenty-second and Tenth regular infantry were assembled without arms. About 5,000 men stood in close order.

General Wheeler Said:

"The President of our great country has come here to greet the soldiers that marched so gallantly up San Juan hill on July 1st. He comes here to express the nation's thanks to these brave men. I wish to tell you that when the President sent me here two weeks ago to command this camp he enjoined me in the most emphatic language that I should, without regard to expense, exercise any and every authority necessary to make comfortable this body of brave men, who by their courage have raised this republic to the highest position among the great nations of the earth. I have the honor and pleasure of introducing to you, the President of the United States.

President McKinley Said.

General Wheeler, soldiers of Camp Wickoff, soldiers of the Fifth Army Corps—I trust that you will put your hats on—I am glad to meet you. I am honored to stand before you to-day. I bring you the gratitude of the nation to whose history you have added by your valor a new and glorious page. You have come home after two months of severe campaigning which has embraced assault, siege and battle, so brilliant in achievement, so far-reaching in results, as to command the unstinted praise of all your countrymen. You had the brunt of battle on land. You bore yourselves with supreme courage, and your personal bravery, never before excelled anywhere, has won the admiration of your fellow citizens and the genuine respect of all mankind, while your endurance under peculiar trial and suffering has given added meaning to your heroism. Your exertions made easy the conquest of Porto Rico under the resistless army commanded by Major General Miles, and behind you, to proceed at a moment's summons, were more than two hundred thousand of your comrades, ready to support you, disappointed that the opportunity which you had did not come to them, yet filled with pride at your well-earned fame and rejoicing upon your signal victories.

"You were on the line of battle; they, no less than you, were in the line of duty. All have served their country in its need, all will serve it so long as they may be required, and all will forever have the thanks and regard of a grateful people.

"We cannot bid you welcome here to-day without our hearts going out to the heroes of Manila, on sea and on land, whose services and sacrifices whose courage and constancy in that far distant field of operations have never been surpassed by any soldiers or sailors the world over. To the army and the navy, to the marines, to the regulars, to the volunteers, and to that Providence which has watched over them all, the nation to-day is full of thanksgiving and praise. The brave officers and men who fell in battle and those who have died from exposure and sickness will live in immortal story and their memories will be perpetuated in the hearts and the histories of a generous people, and those who are dependent upon them will not be neglected by the government for which they so freely sacrificed their lives."

The soldiers cheered many times. The part of the field where the Eighth Ohio stood, the regiment which is sometimes called "the President's own" was particularly noisy. The party then went to the detention hospital. The grave yard in which sixty or seventy plain new wooden crosses stood was near the road on the left. The President solemnly raised his hat.

In the Detention Hospital.

Mr. McKinley went through all the wards of the detention hospital in the same careful way in which he had gone through those of the general hospital. When he came to the last ward, Major R. T. Ebert said: "This is a dangerous ward," and turning to Secretary of War Alger, inquired: "Do you think the President had better go in here?"

Mr. McKinley, without waiting to hear what General Alger's reply would be, started into the ward. General Alger and the others of the party remained outside.

The Presidential party then drove through the lines of cavalry drawn up on either side of the road. Among them were the Rough Riders, the Second, Sixth, Ninth, Tenth and First regular cavalry. The Third regulars were still acting as the President's escort. Mr. McKinley then drove to General Wheeler's headquarters and sat under the shade of a tent fly for a while. Secretary Alger and General Wheeler were with him.

The President and those with him took lunch with General Wheeler and his staff. After lunch the President, Mr. Alger, General Wheeler and Colonel Hard, of the Eighth Ohio, were photographed in a group.

The President issued an order directing that the regular troops at Camp Wikoff whose posts are east of the Mississippi should return with the least possible delay to their posts.

EARTHQUAKE AT SANTIAGO.

No Damage Occurred—Marked Improvement Reported in the Health of the City.

By Cable to the Morning Star.

SANTIAGO DE CUBA, September 3.—Two earthquake shocks were felt here this afternoon. The first, which occurred at 2:15, was of unusual severity and shook every house in the city. The frightened people ran out into the streets. The second shock, which was lighter, occurred just an hour later.

The Saratoga sailed this evening for Montauk Point with one hundred sick and a quantity of Mauser rifles and ammunition.

The sailing of the Missouri has been delayed until to-morrow, owing to the difficulty of obtaining a sufficient supply of water.

The report of Gen. Wood's corps of physicians showed a marked improvement in the general health of the city. The death rate this week is from fifty to seventy-five per cent. lower than it was two weeks ago.

The following is Gen. Lawton's health report for to-day: "Total sick 201; total fever 181; total new cases fever 22; total returned to duty 14. Deaths seven.

PORTO RICAN ADVICES.

Gen. Brooke Under Escort, Leaves Ponce for San Juan—Health of the Troops Improving.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

WASHINGTON, Sep. 3.—Adjutant General Corbin to-day received a cablegram from General Brooke, announcing that he would leave Ponce to-day for San Juan, escorted by troop H, of the Sixth cavalry and Company F, of the Eighth infantry. It is expected that he will make his headquarters for the present at Rio Piedras about seven miles from San Juan. General Brooke is accompanied on the trip, which he make overland, by his full staff. He will be in constant telegraphic communication with Ponce. He expects to arrive at his destination in aboat five days.

GUAYAMA, PORTO RICO, September 2.—(Delayed in transmission.)—Capt. Palma, of the Spanish Civil Guard, brought Gen. Brooke to-day, under a flag of truce, a dispatch from Captain General Macias, extending to the American general the use of his private residence at Rio Piedras, near San Juan, during Gen. Brooke's stay there.

The health of the troops here is steadily improving.

Gen. Stone started to-day to make a tour of the island and examine the roads and harbors.

SMOKELESS POWDER.

Bids Opened for Supplying the Warships With One Million Pounds.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

WASHINGTON, September 3.—Probably the navy has fought its last war with black powder. Bids were opened to-day at the Navy Department for supplying the new warships with one million pounds of smokeless powder, a quantity sufficient to supply at least the secondary batteries of all the ships in the service, and this supply will be augmented from time to time, until within the course of a year or two all the black powder will have been retired, except possibly some that will be retained for saluting purposes. There were six bids received to-day at the department and opened by Judge Advocate Lemly in the presence of representatives of most of the bidders, prominent among them being Mrs. Maria Dittmar, head of the powder concern bearing her name. The bids on an average were about the same as the navy is now paying for its powder and slightly below the figure paid by the army under the emergency created by the war.

The recent storm which swept the Baltic sank a German torpedo boat and severely damaged the whole German torpedo flotilla. Five of the torpedo boats barely reached harbor.

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ENGLAND'S WAR IN THE SOUDAN.

Report That the Anglo-Egyptian Forces Have Captured the City of Khartoum.

HEAVY LOSS ON BOTH SIDES.

Dispatches From Sir Herbert Kitchener Give Detailed Account of the Advance of the Army and Encounters With Dervishes.

By Cable to the Morning Star

LONDON, September 3.—A report which lacks confirmation is current here this evening that the Anglo-Egyptian forces haved captured Khartoum. It is stated that the loss of the Anglo-Egyptian army is two thousand men, while that of the Dervishes is is placed at eight thousand.

11 P. M.—Up to a late hour this evening no confirmation of the report of the capture of Khartoum had been received at the foreign office of the war office.

LONDON, Sept. 3.—The *Evening Telegraph* in its three o'clock edition, this afternoon, published a brief dispatch saying: "All the forts of Omdurman have been destroyed. Great success; no casualties."

The British war office to-day received a dispatch from Nasri, on the Nile, saying that a gunboat had returned there and had reported that there were no casualties among the Anglo-Egyptian forces; that the right bank of the river had been completely cleared of all forts; that the forts on Tuti island, opposite Omduram, had been demolished, and that the guns had been captured.

The war office later in the day received another dispatch from General Sir Herbert Kitchener by way of Nasri. It was not dated and read as follows:

"Owing to the wet weather the lines have been broken and telegraphic communication has been interrupted. Am sending this to Nasri to be forwarded.

"The march has been very favorable. Practically none has fallen out of the ranks or been invalided. From Jobel Royan we marched to Wad El Obeid, thence to Sayal and thence to Surarat. This morning we reached Egina, a mile and a half south of Kerreri, six miles from Omduram. The mounted camel corps with a horse battery pushed forward to Korshamba, whereupon the dervish force issued from Omduram and were clearly visible. I estimated his force at 35,000 men. They advanced at 11 A. M., as if to attack us, to meet which I disposed of our force in a good open position, with a clear field of fire. The Khalifa's force had halted three miles southwest of our position and is now there, at 5 P. M.

"Early this morning, according to orders, the gunboats advanced, towing a howitzer battery and barges, in support of the Arabs on the right bank. The howitzers took up a position opposite Omduram and the gunboats bombarded the forts. They have not returned, but their fire has partially domolished the dome over the Mahdi's dome. All well."

YELLOW FEVER SITUATION.

Nine New Cases Officially Reported at Orwood, Miss.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

WASHINGTON, September 3.—The Marine Hospital Service has received a dispatch from the State health officer at Taylor, Miss., stating that there were nine new cases of yellow fever at Orwood. With twelve cases heretofore reported this makes a total of twenty-one at that point. Surgeon Carter, of the Marine Hospital Service, arrived to-day at Orwood to take charge, and has begun an investigation.

JACKSON, MISS., September 3.—Nine new cases of yellow fever were reported by the board of health to-day from Orwood. One case has developed at Waterford, a small village five miles east of Water Valley. The board regards the situation as rather serious. There are now twenty-two cases at Orwood. One death has occurred.

DESTRUCTIVE FIRE RAGING.

The Business Portion of the Town of Owosso, Michigan, in Flames.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

DETROIT, MICH., September 3.—A *Free Press* special says that the whole business portion of Owosso, Mich., one hundred miles west of here, is endangered by a fire which is now raging. Up to 11.30 the followiag firms had been burned out and the fire was not yet under control:

Woodward's furniture factory, consisting of a three-story warehouse, kilns and lumber yards, totally destroyed, loss $100,000; the Owosso Brewing Company, loss $35,000; Crowe & Payne's implement store, loss $10,000; William Joshlin's livery establishment and several smaller buildings aggregating about $25,000.

The fire department from Corunna is assisting in fighting the flames.

GOLD IN THE TREASURY.

The Total Reserve the Highest on Record, Amounting to $220,916,282.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

WASHINGTON, September 3.—The gold in the Treasury is steadily climbing upward, and to-day again broke a record with the total reserve of $220,916,282, the highest in the history of the reserve fund. United States Treasurer Roberts, speaking of the upward trend of the gold in the Treasury, said that out of about $40,000,000 yet to be paid in for the new war loan, it is likely that $25,000,000 or $30,000,000 will be in gold. It would not be at all strange, he said, if, before the tide turns, our total gold will be considerably over $250,000,000.

FOUR MEN KILLED.

Government Steamboat Destroyed by an Explosion Near New Orleans.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW ORLEANS, September 3.—The government steamboat John R. Meigs was totally destroyed by an explosion at Fort St. Philip to-day. She had on board Lieutenant Jervey and a party engaged to removing the torpedoes laid in the Mississippi river during the beginning of the war. Lieutenant Jervey had a narrow escape. The killed were Captain Starr, commander of the boat; Sergeant John Newman, of the engineers; Pat. Carlos and Ralph Rogers. Those wounded were Fritz Koch and D. B. Reddy.

The condition of Miss Winnie Davis was not improved yesterday. The intense heat is exhausting her strength.

THE STORM-SWEPT SECTION.

More Wrecks Reported—Rivers Still Rising—First Train From North in Three Days Arrives in Savannah.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

SAVANNAH, September 3.—Two more wrecks were reported to-day off the entrance to Calabogue sound. Both were dismasted schooners. There were no signs of life on either vessel. The coast is being patrolled in the hope of rescuing the crews of some of the wrecked vessels, but except the crew of the barque Noe, none are known to have been saved.

On the storm-swept section of the coast the loss of property is increasing. The miles of water on the lowlands are being added to by the floods in the river, and the waters everywhere in the flooded district are rising.

The first train from the North in three days reached here this afternoon, bringing the mails that have been accumulating north of the overflowed territory. The Central Georgia railroad, the Georgia and Alabama, and the Florida Central and Peninsula railroads are still blocked.

The Savannah and Ogeechee rivers are rising rapidly and are likely to cause heavy damage when the flood reaches the low country.

BY RIVER AND RAIL.

Receipts of Naval Stores and Cotton Yesterday.

W. & W. Railroad—1 baless cotton, 3 barrels crude turpentine.

W. C. & A. Railroad—33 bales cotton, 12 casks spirits turpentine, 68 barrels rosin, 31 barrels tar, 12 barrels crude turpentine.

Carolina Central Railroad—11 bales cotton, 13 casks spirits turpentine, 11 barrels rosin, 12 barrels tar, 34 barrels crude turpentine.

C. F. & Y. V. Railroad—36 casks spirits turpentin, 32 barrels rosin, 50 barrels tar.

Steamer W. T. Daggett—2 casks spirits turpentine, 18 barrels rosin, 10 barrels tar.

Schooner Argyle—17 casks spirits turpentine, 2 barrels rosin.

William's Raft—164 barrels rosin.

Total—Cotton, 45 bales; spirits turpentine, 80 casks; rosin, 295 barrels; tar, 103 barrels; crude turpentine, 49 barrels.

ACKNOWLEDGMENTS.

The Benevolent Society gratefully acknowledges the receipts of packages from the following friends:

Mrs. H. F. Wilder, Mrs. Wm. DeRosset, Mrs. R. J. Bunting, Mrs. W. S. Warrock, Mrs. Lawther, Mrs. Wm. Monroe, Mrs. E. Polley, Mrs. S. C. Smith, Mrs. E. A. King, Miss Janie Horne, Miss Minnie Perdew, Mrs. Joe Bunting, Mrs. E. Peschau, Mrs. W. H. Yopp, Mrs. M. Mahn, Mrs. C. W. Davis, Mrs. V. Hall, Miss Maggie Hankins, Mrs. Wm. Niestle, Mrs. Duffie, Mrs. Reuben Grant; from friends, five packages; Mrs. Roger Moore, Mr. J. F. Garrell, Mr. W. M. Hays.

We are glad to welcome Miss Louisa P. Way into the Home as an inmate. Miss Way is a sister-in-law of the late P. W. Fanning, Esq., so well known in Masonic circles.

CORBETT-M'COY.

Arranged to Fight at Buffalo on October 15th.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, Sept. 3.—Jim Corbett, who arrived here at noon to-day, met "Kid" McCoy at an uptown sporting resort and they arranged to fight their proposed battle on October 15th at Buffalo. Corbett left for Asbury park to-night and will resume training on Monday. McCoy will return to Saratoga. Corbett said: "I have decided to quit the ring after this fight, win or lose."

THE NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Record of Games Played Yesterday by the Clubs.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star

New York—New York, 5; Boston, 6.

Pittsburg—Pittsburg, 1; Baltimore, 0. Pittsburg, 3; Baltimore, 5.

Cincinnati—Cincinnati, 4; Washington, 2.

Louisville — Louisville, 13; St. Louis, 1.

Chicago—Chicago, 8; Brooklyn, 16.

WARM WIRELETS.

On the recommendation of the Swedish-Norwegian council, King Oscar has notified the Czar of his acceptance of the invitation to send delegates to a peace conference.

At Toledo, Ohio, "Temper," owned by W. M. Cumper, of Cleveland, broke the world's trotting record for half-mile track, driven to a wagon, making the remarkable time of 2:18.

The transport Mississippi sailed yesterday from Ponce, P. R., for the United States, having on board the New York cavalry and Pennsylvania cavalry and artillery.

The U. S. S. revenue cutter Algonquin has been seized at Montreal on behalf of J. Wade, who claims wages due him as a detective in Chinese smuggling cases. A question of international law is involved.

The weekly bank statement shows the following changes: Loans $672,173,900, increase $82,100; specie $148,378 300, decrease, $7,590,400; legal tenders, decrease $723,200, decrease $723,000. Net deposits $752,389,800, decrease $7,844,600; circulation $14,048,500, decrease $74,800. The banks now hold $1a,991,090 in excess of the requirements of the 25 per cent. rule.

The Secretary of the Treasury has issued a call offering to redeem the balance of the bonds (amounting to $14,004,560) issued to the Pacific railroad. Of this amount over $9,000,000 were issued to the Central Pacific, over $3,000,000 to the Union Pacific and over $1,500,000 to the old Western Pacific.

Needed the Money.

"If you fellers hain't decided on who you're fur in the tax collector's race, I wish you'd fling in fur Tom Duncan."

"What fur?"

"Fur bekase he needs the offiss wuss than airy man in the race."

"Hain't crippled, is he?"

"No, but"—

"Hain't been sick so he couldn't wuck ner nuthin, haz he?"

"No, but he is jest out ov the chain gang, whar he has been fur six months, an hain't had a chance to make nairy cent. He's the man that raiily needs the offiss, fellers."—Atlanta Journal.

Spanish Real Estate.

It is Mark Twain who observes, in one of his sketches of travel in foreign parts, that the reason there is comparatively little arable land in Spain is because the great majority of the Spanish people are in the habit of squandering it on their persons, and, when they die it is buried with them.—Boston Herald.

THE RIEDSVILLE MEETING.

Four or Five Thousand People Attend the Great Democratic Rally and Barbecue—The Country Aroused.

A gentleman who formerly resided in Wilmington but who now lives in the West, in a private letter gives the following encouraging news under date of September 2:

"It was my pleasure to attend the great Democratic rally and barbecue at Reidsville, September 1st. They had the best order I ever saw, and if any one thinks the people in this part of the State are not interested, they ought to come and see. I talked with one old gentleman—82 years old—who said the last Populist had disappeared from his neighborhood, and every one I spoke to about the matter would say the Pops are getting back where they used to be. During the last ten days I have been in Moore, Harnett and Chatham, and unless people are telling lies, there will be a change up this way in November. One gentleman, always a Republican, from Chatham, told a friend in Greensboro, last week, that Chatham county would go Democratic as sure as there was an election. I talked with a minister to-day who was at the speaking, and he said if the State at large was as it was where he had been, it was bound to be redeemed. I have been following up the campaigns since Vance ran for Governor in 1876 and I never saw the people show the interest and the determination they are showing now so long before the election. I'll tell you, Jarvis, Watson, Brooks, Kitchin and others made the people think at the mass meeting at Reidsville Thursday. It has been a long time since I saw such a political gathering—there were four or five thousand people—but if I live, I expect to see another next Thursday at Asheboro, Randolph county.

SECOND NORTH CAROLINA

Among the Regiments to be Retained in Service.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

WASHINGTON, September 3.—Adjutant General Corbin to-day made an official announcement of the intention of the War Department in the matter of mustering out and retaining in service the volunteer regiments. [Among the regiments to be retained in service until further orders are: The Second North Carolina and the Third (colored) North Carolina.]

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Wilmington Seacoast R. R.

Schedule in Effect September 1, 1898.

Leave Wilmington daily, except Sundays, 6.30 and 10.10 A. M.; 2.30, 5.00 and 7.15 P. M. Sunday, 10.10 A. M., 2.30 and 7.15 P. M.

Leave Ocean View daily, except Sundays, at 7.30 and 11.30 A. M.; 3.45, 6.00 and 10 P. M. Sunday, 11.30 A. M., 6 and 9.30 P. M.

Freight will be carried on the 10.10 A. M. and 5 P. M. trains only, except vegetables and meats on the 6.30 A. M. No goods will be received unless accompanied by a way bill and freight prepaid.

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I am offering one Valuable Farm of 225 acres, four miles west of Burgaw; located on two public roads. Eighty-five acres cleared; balance well timbered. Two and a half acres in strawberries, set out in October, 1897. Two acres in different varieties of very fine grapes. Five-acre orchard in apple and pear trees Large oak grove. **Two-story ten-room Dwelling,** with all necessary out buildings. Very good water. Good neighborhood. Terms of sale made known to purchaser.

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For Rent—Rooms over 113 and 115 South Front street, suitable for private or boarding house, also the barber shop next to Mrs. Christ's bakery, on South Front street. Terms low. Apply to A. D. Wessell. se 4 1t*

The Victor—Reopened September 1st, under new management. Newly furnished. Best First Class Private Boarding House in town. Rates very reasonable. 411 North Front street. se 4 tf

Wanted—A Lady as governess, to take charge of two children, 6 and 8 years old, and house affairs. Address, P. O. Box 210 Laurinburg, N. C. se 4 1*

Photographs—For a limited time, I will make a cheaper grade of Photos at the following prices: Cabinet size, $1.00 per dozen; smaller sizes, 50c per dozen. My best work at reasonable prices. Enlargements a specialty. New frames to suit just received. H. Cronenberg, over Green's drug store. au 30 1w

Wanted—Ten thousand Apollinaris water bottles and "Rienzi" beer bottles, or same shape as these. Sol Bear & Co., 20 Market street. au 28 5t

To Country Merchants and farmers who sell Country Produce. Try M. C. Benson, 105 Dock street, for best prices, quick sales and prompt returns. August 27, 1898. au 28 tf

Photographs and Frames—Cheapest Frames and Easles in the city. Finest kind of Photographs at reasonable rates. Good work guaranteed. Ask for U. C. Ellis, 114 Market street. au 28 tf

For Rent—The Cantwell House, corner Sixth and Market streets. Nine rooms; modern improvements. Possession given October 1st. Apply to D. O'Connor. su au 14 tf

Pure Sweet Apple Cider freshly made guaranteed to be nothing but Pure Apple Juice can be had of H. J. Bierman, 215 Market street Bell 'Phone No. 38. au 26 tf

R. V. Leonard & Bro., Grocers and Commission Merchants, Nos. 2 and 3 South Water street. We solicit your consignments. Prompt sales and returns guaranteed. R. V. Leonard & Bro. au 25 tf

Finest Apples and Peaches. Also, Irish Potatoes and North Carolina Hams in abundance. See me before buying. L. Tate Bowden, 6 Princess street. au 23 tf

Wanted—Eight Thousand dollars wanted on improved real estate in Wilmington. Apply to D. O'Connor, Real Estate Agent. au 21 1w

For Rent—Store on Front, between Market and Dock. Store No. 11 Market street. Store on South Water, between Market and Dock. Store on North Water, between Princess and Chesnut. Apply to D. O'Connor, Real Estate Agent. au 21 tf

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Hayden, P. H., has in stock Buggies, Road Carts and Harness of all kinds. Repairing done by skillful workmen on short notice. Opposite new Court House. no 25 tf

Pratt's Food, Magic Food, Condition Powders, Hay, Grain, and all kinds of mixed feed. Jno. S. McEachern, 211 Market street. Inter-State 'Phone No. 92, Bell 'Phone No. 92. au 19 tf

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800 Bushels R. P. Oats.
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Write for Latest Price List.

W. B. Cooper,

Wholesale Grocer, Wilmington, N. C.

au 30 tf

Carolina Beach and Southport STEAMBOAT LINE.

The following Schedule is in effect on and after Monday, August 29th:

Leave Wilmington, daily except Sunday, for Carolina Beach at 6.00 A. M., 9.45 A. M., and 5.15 P. M.

Leave Beach 7.00 A. M. and 3.30 P. M.

Leave Wilmington Sunday, 10 A. M.; 2.30 P. M. Leave Beach, 12.30 P. M., and 6.00 P. M.

The 9.45 boat through for Southport Leave Southport, 2.30 P. M.

J. W. HARPER.

au 28 tf

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If you want to see something Real Handsome,

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se 1 1m JOHN M. GORE, Jr.